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Town Talk and Neighborhood Notes  
Tersely Told

## MANY ITEMS OF INTEREST

Gleaned From Various Sources—  
Little Points Picked Up By  
Vigilant Reporters.

M. B. Amos has resumed his position as clerk in W. B. Mock's tobacco store.

John F. Brightbill has been confined to the house the past week suffering from an attack of gastric fever.

Oscar R. Diehl of Colerain Township has purchased the property of George A. Calhoun on North Richard Street.

One of the large plate glass windows in the store of Harold S. Smith Company was blown in during Sunday's storm.

About twenty friends were pleasantly entertained by Miss Ola Heiple at her home on East Pitt Street last Friday evening.

The regular monthly meeting of the local Suffrage Organization will be held in the L. T. L. Room, Brode Building, this (Friday) afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Members of the Bible Class of the Presbyterian Church will give an entertainment in the chapel of the church Tuesday evening, March 10, at 7:45 o'clock.

A large barn on the property of Alexander Clark near Everett was destroyed by fire on Sunday and an automobile owned by C. C. Garlick, stored therein, was consumed.

The Young People's Branch of the W. C. T. U. will meet in the L. T. L. room Saturday evening at 8 o'clock. All young people above 15 years of age are cordially invited to be present.

Marriage licenses were issued in Cumberland this week to George Earl Rhodes and Amy Elizabeth Snider of Saxton, and Isaac Ollison of Meyersdale and Zula Plessinger of Hyndman.

Wednesday evening William, eldest son of Fred C. Pate, was taken to the Western Maryland Hospital, Cumberland, where he will undergo an operation for appendicitis.

Elwood E. Barley, son of J. I. Barley of Baker's Summit, and publisher of the Tribune and The Farmer Boy, weekly publications at Exeter, Cal., has been appointed income tax collector at that place.

The annual election of officers of the Bedford Fire Department will be held at the regular meeting of the company next Tuesday night, March 10, at 7:30 o'clock. All members are requested to be present.

Miss Blanche Dodson of Hopewell, niece of Deputy Sheriff Andrew Dodson, was taken to the Roaring Spring Hospital last Friday, where she was operated upon that evening for acute appendicitis. She is getting along nicely.

Chester and Samuel Cessna, the well known cattle breeders of Colerain Township, will hold a sale of a lot of fine cows and heifers at the Fisher House stables on Wednesday, March 18. See announcement on page eight.

Last Saturday evening thieves entered the office of L. B. Shaw at Riddlesburg and carried off express and telephone money to the amount of \$30 or \$40. This is the second time the express company's money has been taken in the same manner.

Last week in an item in the court proceedings in our paper, it was stated that an auditor's report had been filed in the estate of George Crissey, late of Bedford Township. It should have been in the estate of George Carney, late of Bedford Township.

The Ladies Aid Society of St. Patrick's Lutheran Church will hold a chicken and waffle supper at the home of Mrs. Martin A. Diehl in Friend's Cove this (Friday) evening. Ice cream and cake will also be served. The church quilt will be sold at this time.

Last Friday evening Fred C. Pate took Mr. and Mrs. William B. Mock, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Brightbill, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Naus, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Lysinger, Mrs. Virginia Horne and Mrs. John Fletcher a sled ride to the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Miller in Bedford Township, where they had a very pleasant time.

In the Johnstown Tribune of Monday, the 2nd inst., announcement was made of the appointment of Edwin S. Wright, formerly of Pleasantville, this county, as Actuary of the Cambria Mutual Benefit Association, an organization identified with the Cambria Steel Company of Johnstown, and deriving its large membership from the thousands of workmen connected with that corporation.

Harry C. Blackburn, otherwise known as "Blackie," the efficient lineman of the Bedford Electric Light Company, after wearing a mysterious look and smile for several days, quietly took leave for Altoona on Saturday morning, returning to the Fisher House on the evening of the same day with his bonnie bride which he had claimed as his own short time previous to his employment in Bedford. His friends at the Fisher House, on discovering what had taken place on Saturday, quickly passed word to several others in and about town, whereupon all proceeded at a late hour to pay their respects by making an informal call. Refreshments were served.

## CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS

For Fourth-Class Postmasters—Positions For Life.

An Executive Order issued by the President requires competitive examinations by the Civil Service Commission for the position of postmaster at all fourth-class post offices at which the annual compensation is \$180 or more, and at which the present incumbent was not appointed under the Civil Service Regulations.

The examination for Bedford County postmasters will be held at Bedford, Pa., Saturday, April 18, 1914.

The post offices affected by the order in Bedford County are: Alum Bank, Bedford Springs, Breezewood, Buffalo Mills, Cessna, Cumberland Valley, Defiance, Hopewell, Kearney, Loysburg, Mann's Choice, New Enterprise, Osterburg, Queen, Riddlesburg, Schellsburg, Six Mile Run, Waterside, Wolfburg.

An applicant for examination for appointment at any post office must reside within the territory supplied by such post office. No change in the dates of examination at any of the examination points can be made. Applicants will be allowed to be examined on only one date. The application form may be secured from the postmaster at any of the offices for which the examinations are held, the United States Civil Service Commission, Washington, D. C., or the postmaster at any place at which the examination is to be held, and should be properly executed, indicating therein the examination point at which the applicant desires to be examined, and should be immediately forwarded to the United States Civil Service Commission, Washington, D. C. For location of the examination room, apply at the post office at the place where the examination is held.

### William H. Stiffler

William H. Stiffler died suddenly at his home at the toll gate property, a short distance east of Bedford, on Tuesday morning. His death came as a shock to his many friends and acquaintances, as he had been in his usual health with the exception of a cold accompanied by a cough.

The deceased was born at the "Willows," and lived all his lifetime in and near Bedford. He would have been 62 years old the 14th of this month. About thirty years ago he was married to Miss Nannie Minnich, who, with the following children, survives: Oliver, Howard, Mrs. Walter Weaverling, Thomas, Mary and Leslie, all of Bedford, except Howard, who is employed in the P. R. R. shops at Cresson. He is also survived by one sister, Catherine Stiffler, of this place.

The funeral service was held yesterday afternoon at his late home and was conducted by Rev. J. Albert Eyer of St. John's Reformed Church. Interment was made in the Bedford Cemetery.

Mr. Stiffler was a carpenter by occupation. He bore many excellent traits of character and was respected by all who knew him.

### Ahimazz Amick

Ahimazz Amick died at his home at Woodbury Wednesday evening, February 25, of a complication of diseases. He was a son of Emanuel and Susan Amick and was born in Monroe Township on March 4, 1845. He was united in marriage with Rachel Cooper on December 11, 1869. Seven sons and three daughters survive: Gideon and Harry of Woodbury Township, Mrs. Vergie Manges and Mrs. Susan Coy of Duncansville, Wilson of New Enterprise, Mrs. Ollie Clapper and George of South Woodbury, Frank of Waterside, Roy and Joseph at home. One brother, William Amick, of Clear Ridge also survives. After his marriage Mr. Amick moved to Salemsville. From there he moved to Clear Ridge and then to Woodbury Township, where he was engaged in farming until two years ago, when he moved to Woodbury.

The funeral services were conducted in the Woodbury M. E. Church Saturday morning. Interment was made in Dry Hill Cemetery.

### S. F. Nycum

Simon Franklin Nycum, a son of the late Simon and Mary Nycum, died at his home in East Providence on Friday, February 20, from the effects of a stroke of paralysis, aged 59 years. He is survived by his wife and four sons, Leroy, George, Merrill and Paul, at home. He is also survived by five brothers and two sisters: John Q. Nycum of Ray's Hill, George of Mt. Carroll, Ill., Clay, Albert and Scott of Wilkinsburg, Mrs. Polfnerberger of Vandergrift and Mrs. John S. Hershberger of Everett.

Mr. Nycum was a member of Ray's Hill Lutheran Church, a member of Ray's Hill Lodge, No. 776, I. O. O. F., and Breezewood Castle, K. G. E., both of which attended the funeral services in a body.

The funeral services were held on Monday at the Ray's Hill Lutheran Church, conducted by Revs. Matter and Hibish. Interment was made in the cemetery at that place.

### Dennison-Stiffler

Sullivan Dennison of Pittsburgh and Miss Bertha Lucille, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Stiffler of this place, were married in Cumberland on Thursday of last week.

Miss Ida Jenness Moulton, a celebrated impersonator and musical entertainer of Beverly, Mass., will speak in the Brick Reformed Church, Friend's Cove, Saturday evening, March 7, at 7:30 o'clock, under the auspices of the Charlesville Grange. Admission, 10 and 15 cents. The proceeds will be used for educational purposes.

## Council Notes

The regular monthly meeting of the Borough Council was held Tuesday night, with all members present. Bills to the amount of \$281.22 were presented and paid as follows: Bedford Electric Light Heat and Power Company, \$184.02; Gazette Publishing Company, 60c; Borough Auditors, 10c; Percy C. Stiver, salary, \$40; James Crouse, salary, \$40. Treasurer McLaughlin reported \$5,408.71 receipts, and \$739.98 paid out, with a balance on hand of \$4,668.73.

Burgess Oppenheimer reported six arrests; fines collected, \$5; licenses, \$8.50; total, \$13.50. The Burgess also called the attention of the Council to the unsanitary condition of the lockup and asked that something be done to properly heat and ventilate it.

D. W. Prosser was appointed a member of the Board of Health.

The report of the Borough Auditors was held over to the next meeting.

The matter of laying a water main from the Millburn Reservoir to the borough was discussed but no action was taken.

The tax rate for the ensuing year was fixed at seven mills for borough and at five mills for water purposes.

### Miss Mary J. Andrews

Miss Mary J. Andrews died at her home in East Providence Township Sunday night, February 22, of cancer of the stomach. She was a daughter of Ahimazz and Eliza Meakle Andrews and was born November 6, 1848. Her age was therefore 65 years, three months and 16 days.

Her father died when she was but a few years old and her mother preceded her to the Great Beyond about 26 years ago. She lived with her half sister, Miss Sadie Frazey, and a brother, George B. Andrews, at the old homestead.

The deceased had been in ill health for a number of years but recently recovered to the extent that her friends entertained hopes for her living a few years yet, until about three weeks prior to her death, when she had an attack of appendicitis, followed by ulcerated stomach, which terminated in cancer. She was so patient through all her suffering and all was done, that was possible for loving hands to do, to alleviate her pain and suffering but death claimed her at last.

Miss Andrews lived a quaint, simple, "childlike," Christian life. She was always cheerful and had a kind word for every one. Was ready and willing to lend a helping hand to whom and for whom she could. She delighted in having her friends visit her and no one, however humble, left their door hungry. It may truly be said of her "none knew her but to love her." Her patient, submissive spirit, during her last illness was characteristic of her life.

She leaves to mourn their loss, besides a host of friends, two brothers, George B. Andrews and John C. Andrews, of near Mattie, a half-sister and brother, Sadie B. Frazey and S. L. Frazey, the latter living on a farm nearby.

The funeral services were held in Mt. Pleasant Lutheran Church Wednesday afternoon, February 25, conducted by Rev. Frownfelter of Clearville, assisted by Rev. Hibish of Breezewood. Interment in the cemetery adjoining.

### Mrs. M. D. Williams

Mrs. Mary Elizabeth, wife of M. D. Williams, died at her home in Jamestown, S. D., Wednesday morning, February 18, of pneumonia. She was born at Hagerstown, Md., on March 20, 1847. On September 25, 1878, she was married to M. D. Williams. They took up their residence near Schellsburg, where they resided six years. After leaving Pennsylvania, she moved west with the family to Kansas, where they resided three years, and from which state they moved to South Dakota, where they have since lived.

Besides her husband, three sons and two daughters survive: George, Hartman, Calvin, Ruth and Elizabeth. Two sisters and one brother are also living: Mrs. Stehley of Youngstown, O., Mrs. Abram Weisel of Bedford and William H. Hartman of Johnstown.

The funeral services were held at the late residence on Friday, February 20, and were largely attended. Interment was made at Jamestown.

### George J. Baker

George J. Baker, one of the oldest citizens of Hyndman, died at his home at that place on Saturday, February 28, aged 86 years, six months and 16 days. For forty years he resided in Milligan's Cove and was highly respected as an exemplary citizen.

He is survived by his aged wife, one son, Filmore E. Baker, of Coopersville, Mich., and one daughter, Mrs. W. B. Zembower, of Hyndman, also by one brother and sister, three half-brothers and one half-sister.

The funeral services were held at his late home Monday afternoon and were conducted by Rev. Hoffman of Everett, assisted by Rev. Stiles of Hyndman. Interment was made in the cemetery adjoining the Christian Church in Milligan's Cove the same day.

### The Third Horse Sale

Saturday, March 14, the third horse sale of the season will be held at the stables of Liverman R. A. Silver. Over fifty head will be offered, as well as some mules, wagons, harness, etc. Last Saturday's sale was very largely attended, and many good horses were sold at bargain prices. For particulars concerning the sale to be held on March 14 see ad on page six of this paper.

## SHOULD UNITE FOR BATTLE

Henry C. Niles Urges Men to Register as State Democrats.

York, February 26.—Henry C. Niles of York, who has been a leader in independent contests in Pennsylvania for years past, and who was one of the founders of the Keystone party in 1910, is out in an open letter urging a union of forces for good government under the banner of the re-organized Democracy. "Not only does the York leader urge upon all independents to register and vote under the head of the Democratic ticket, but he has given the assurance of his personal support to the party ticket."

In the campaign of 1910 Mr. Niles stood shoulder to shoulder with Vance C. McCormick in his support of Democratic principles as represented by William H. Berry, the standard bearer of the party in that year, and now Mr. Niles is openly advocating the election of McCormick, Mr. Palmer and the Democratic State ticket.

The following letter to the York Gazette defines Mr. Niles' attitude:

Letter to Newspaper

"Your editorial of last Friday under the heading 'Register as a Democrat' seems to me to be entitled to commendation."

"There is no valid reason why sincere Progressives, regardless of former party connections, should not register as Democrats, and thereby practically exert their influence in encouragement of those elements which under the leadership of the President are striving for 'The New Freedom.'"

"In a short year of the Wilson administration there has been a complete change in the political atmosphere. It has been demonstrated that this new Democracy is of the highest ideals not only; but is also capable of doing the right things promptly and effectively."

### Hope in State

"In Pennsylvania there is hope of the complete regeneration of the Democratic party. This can be assured if independent voters who approve of the ideals of the national administration, which are the more truly progressive because in harmony also with its fundamentals of constitutional freedom, shall now make their influence felt within that party."

"In York County, the sincere Progressives can at this time, by registering and participating at the primary, assist practically in making the Democratic party the instrument of the reforms for which honest citizens have been longing for a generation."

"In my opinion, this year, the Democratic party presents the most likely instrument for independent voters to use for the redemption of the commonwealth."

### Parent-Teacher Meeting

Tuesday evening the regular monthly meeting of the Parent-Teacher Association of this place was held in the High School room, the attendance being very gratifying and several new members added. The "Compulsory Education and Vaccination Laws" were explained and discussed by J. A. Wright, a member of the Board of Directors. "Sanitary Conditions in the Schools" was the subject of a paper read by Miss Margaret H. Lessig. An illustrated talk on "The Teeth and Their Care" was given by Dr. C. R. Grissinger and was unusually interesting and instructive; he used slides showing the growth of the teeth from infancy to age, accompanying all with useful information and advice. "Making Paper," "The Panama Canal" and "Elephants at Play," the new films now being used in the grades, were shown on the Kinetoscope by Principal Garbrick.

We are very glad to note the good attendance at these meetings and also the co-operation of patrons and teachers, all of which will result in good for our schools.

### Deeds Recorded

David F. Koontz to Annie Koontz, interest in tract in Snake Spring; nominal.

Annie Koontz et al. to David F. Koontz, interest in tract in Snake Spring; nominal.

Nicholas D. Lyons to Harriet Debaugh, lot in Bedford, \$1,200.

Edward Spahn to Ural F. Rohm, 10 acres in Liberty; \$1,600.

John Spahn et al. to U. F. Rohm, tract in Liberty; \$800.

Jacob Fichtner to Frederick Shroyer, 106 acres, 52 perches in Londonderry; \$500.

Vilias B. Wertz to Charles A. Hyde, 138 acres in Harrison; \$4,100.

Anna A. Nicewaner to Charles Hite, 3 tracts in Cumberland Valley; \$3,000.

David R. Longenecker to Joseph M. Dively, 2 lots in Kimmell; \$98.

W. H. Carney, by administrator, to Minnie B. Bullington, interest in 174 acres, 140 perches in Bedford Township; \$2,562.

George Carney, by administrator, to Minnie B. Bullington, interest in 174 acres, 140 perches in Bedford Township; \$2,562.

Tilden Scritchfield to Bertha E. Fritz, 94 acres in Harrison; \$2,400.

Another Old Soldier Mustered Out.

Enos Bennett of Chaneyville died at the State Hospital in Harrisburg on Friday, February 27, aged 71 years. He was a veteran of the Civil War, having served in the Second Maryland Cavalry. He is survived by his wife and four daughters: George and Ella at home, Mrs. John Housare of Rainsburg and Ida of Pratt, Md.

The body was bled at his home, where funeral services were conducted by Rev. John Bennett.

### Marriage Licenses

William Carbaugh and Kathryn E. Little of Bedford.  
George H. Miller and Lily Swanson of Everett.

## LARGE FIRE AT EVERETT

Hardware Store of Francis L. Baker Destroyed Monday Morning.

The large frame building occupied by Francis L. Baker at Everett as a hardware and implement store, situated near the H. & B. T. Railroad station, was entirely destroyed by fire Monday morning about 3 o'clock. The origin of the fire is unknown, but is thought to have started from a short circuit on the electric wiring. Mr. Baker is one of the largest machinery and implement dealers in the county and his loss is over \$12,000, covering \$3,000 on the building and \$9,000 on the contents, with but \$3,000 insurance on the latter. He dealt in hardware, machinery of all kinds, wagons, hay, feed, etc., and had just stored a carload of wagons in the building on Saturday. There had been no fire in the building since Saturday afternoon. The loss is a heavy one.

The stable on the rear of the Baptist parsonage lot ignited and could not be saved. The parsonage is occupied by W. R. Speer and the contents of the stable, owned by him, were also destroyed.

### Court Notes

The following business was transacted at last week's court:

Assigned estate of Shannon Mortimore of Snake Spring; inventory and appraisal filed.

Fletcher vs. Fletcher, in divorce; exceptions to master's report filed.

Commonwealth vs. George Dilling, Saxton; desertion and non-support. Defendant to pay costs of prosecution and pay the wife and children \$4 per week.

Commonwealth vs. Luther Chamberlain of Broad Top; charge desertion and non-support. Defendant to pay costs and pay his wife and children \$3 per week.

Estate of A. J. Diehl, late of Colerain; agreement read.

Assigned estate of P. M. Morgart of Rainsburg; petition for auditor; Emory D. Claar appointed.

Estate of Anna Sill, late of Everett; rule to show cause filed.

Report of County Auditors filed.

At Thursday's session the following was considered:

Assigned estate of Shannon Mortimore of Snake Spring; bond in sum of \$3,188 filed and approved.

H. T. Gump vs. H. B. Layton; motion for judgment by proclamation.

Estate of Alice Harvey, late of Liberty; petition of heirs for order of sale filed. Bond in sum of \$1,400 to be given.

### Visitations to Sunday Schools

The visitations to the Sunday Schools of the Bedford district, as provided for at the recent district convention held at Bedford, have been in progress during the past few weeks. Last Sunday E. A. Hershberger, in accordance with his assignment by the convention, made a visit to the Presbyterian Sunday School of Bedford. The Methodist and Reformed Schools were both visited on that day by J. C. Roberts; and a visit to the A. M. E. Zion school (colored) was made by Elias Gibson, W. S. Lysinger and J. Anson Wright. The Messiah, in the township, was visited by J. R. Irvine.

A strong effort is being made to place each school of the district, as well as the district itself, in the ranks of the front line standard.

Next Saturday afternoon, March 7, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon these official visitors, together with officers of the district, will meet in the Methodist Church of Bedford for report and conference.

### High School Literary Program

The following program will be rendered in the Bedford High School room this (Friday) evening at 8 o'clock: Selection, H. S. Orchestra; Recitation, Irma Russell; Vocal Solo, Ellen Doty; Quotation, Neilson Pepple; Character Sketch, Julia Piper, Clarinet Solo, Mr. Diehl; Dialogue, Eugene Hardman, Stewart Elcholtz; Vocal Solo, Marie Wertz; Assigned Talk, Renee Oppenheimer; Recitation, Edith Foster; Vocal Solo, Katherine Davis, Quotation, Romaine Reighard, Violin Duet, Marguerite Beckley, Lawrence Guyer; Debate Affirmative, Alwyn Oppenheimer and Zeta Cessna, Negative, Carl Amick and Helen Fisher; Gazette, Ruth Nans. The admission fee will be 10c.

### Schellsburg

March 4.—J. T. Fitzsimons returned on Tuesday from a visit in Pittsburgh and Ohio.

Misses Maud Beaver and Stella Colvin of Juniata College, Huntingdon, spent from Friday evening until Tuesday noon with home folks.

The mail carrier was unable to get to Mann's Choice on Monday on account of drifted roads.

Mrs. W. V. Taylor suffered a stroke of paralysis on her left side on Friday, but at present is some better.

The storm which we have been having for a couple days has done considerable damage near town by unroofing buildings.

There is considerable sickness around town at present.

Malachia Mock is visiting relatives at Derry.

Mrs. J. Wy Boor of Bedford is spending some time at W. V. Taylor's and helping take care of Mrs. Taylor.

### St. John's Reformed Church

J. Albert Eyer, Pastor.  
Sunday, March 8—Sunday School 10 a. m. Divine worship 11 a. m. Sermon subject, "Where Your Treasure Is." Sermon 7:30 p. m., "What Does It Mean to be a Church Member?" All are cordially invited.

## PERSONAL NOTES

Arrivals and Departures of Residents and Visitors.

## IN THE SOCIAL WORLD

The Column Everybody Reads—Chat About Your Friends and Neighbors—Here and There.

Mrs. John F. Layton of Mattie is visiting friends in Bedford.

Miss Virginia Naugle is spending a couple of weeks in Huntingdon.

Mrs. E. S. Doty spent several days recently with relatives in Greensburg.

Mr. G. E. Shipley of Rainsburg was a Bedford visitor on Wednesday.

Mr. F. S. Ego of Schellsburg, Pa., transacted business in Bedford on Wednesday.

Mr. F. A. Heming of Cumberland Valley transacted business in Bedford on Wednesday.

Mrs. E. H. Dicken and Mrs. B. M. Klugh of Johnstown spent several days this week with Mrs. J. N. Drenning of South Bedford Township.

Mr. W. B. Mock left on Wednesday for Erie, where he will attend a convention of the agents of the Mutual Life Insurance Company of New York.

Messrs. W. B. Cessna of Cumberland Valley, Samuel Cessna of Colerain, Harry O'Neal of Everett, Rt. 4, Levi Roudabush of St. Clairsville and Irvin M. Ebersole of New Enterprise were callers at The Gazette office yesterday.

Miss Amelia Kline, a missionary from the Philippine Islands, visited Mrs. Mary Mills and Miss Annie M. Morris of West Pitt Street on Monday. She is a daughter of Rev. D. G. Kline, a former Reformed minister of Clearville.

While in town last Saturday the following persons called at our office: Mrs. S. S. Baker and daughter of Snake Spring Valley, Mr. and Mrs. William Oldham and Mr. E. H. Housare of Cessna, Rt. 1, Mrs. J. Albert Holderbaum and daughter, Messrs. David Felter, George Moses, Conda Casteel, Oscar Smith and Frank I. Smith of Bedford Township; George Faubel, H. H. Geller and G. A. Carpenter of Mann's Choice; H. D. Hillegass of Kegg, H. H. Bingham, J. P. Harclerode, J. W. Kinsley, Samuel Naugle of Colerain; Philip, Snyder and Cleveland Bishop of Clearville, J. H. Trusheim of Buffalo Mills, Thomas P. Beckley of Pleasantville, James A. Heming of Cumberland Valley, W. B. Filler of Rainsburg, Joseph Russell and George W. Ferguson of East St. Clair, J. H. Crisman of Schellsburg and C. E. Ross of Hopewell.

### Defiance

March 3.—The lecture given in the M. E. Church at Defiance last Friday night by W. M. Litins of Uniontown was well attended and was much appreciated by all. His subject was "Can Man Live a Thousand Years?" It was doubtless one of the most powerful arguments against the liquor traffic that the people of Defiance have ever heard.

Charles V. Fry is representing the Judith Mine Local at the district convention now in session at DuBois. George G. Christman, of our place, is also a delegate to the district convention representing the E. H. Hershberger Mine Local.

Robert Hughes made an overnight trip to Greencastle with the sleigh last Sunday and at the time of writing he has not returned. We have good reason to believe that he was storm-stayed as he had planned to return on Tuesday.

Alfred Newton of Altoona was a business caller at the office of Mr. Brumbaugh last Saturday.

George Thomas and his wife Joseph were Sunday visitors with Mr. Thomas' daughter, Mrs. William Hitchens. They came over in their sleigh and intended to return on Monday but found after going a short distance from town that the sleigh was drifted too much and they were obliged to return at a later better weather.

J. L. Tenley received a letter of hay this week and for the last two days has been busy unloading the same—some of it going to his own barn and the balance is being hauled to the stables of some of his neighbors.

J. W. Barney, principal of our high school, was a business visitor to the county capital last Saturday.

F. E. McGahey, principal of the Finleyville schools, was in Altoona a day or two last week, taking the Civil Service examination. Frank says the examiners know how to ask questions but he thinks he was able to answer enough questions to make a passing mark at least.

The Defiance "Bunch" had another social affair in Little Hall last Saturday night.

### G. W. Rinard



## HYOMEI RELIEVES IN FIVE MINUTES

You Breathe It

If your head is all stuffed up from a cold or catarrh, you suffer with dull headaches and seem lacking in vitality, or are constantly sniffling and coughing, you need a remedy that will give the quickest, most effective and lasting relief possible—something that will go right to the spot, clear the head and throat and end your misery.

Surely use Hyomei—all druggists sell it. It is just such a remedy, and is entirely harmless and pleasant to use—you breathe it—no stomach dosing.

The antiseptic oils of Hyomei mix with the air you breathe—its health-giving medication immediately reaches the store and inflamed mucous membrane—you feel better in five minutes. It is practically impossible to use Hyomei and not only be relieved but permanently benefited. F. W. Jordan, Jr., will refund your money if you are not satisfied. Ask for the complete outfit—\$1.00 size. Feb. 27 21. Adv.

### The Promise of Our Daily Bread

By C. L. Edson

Out on the frozen uplands, underneath the snow and sleet, In the bosom of the plowland sleeps the Promise of the Wheat; With the ice for head and foot-stone, and a snowy shroud outspread In the frost-locked tomb of winter sleeps the Miracle of Bread! With its hundred thousand reapers and its hundred thousand men, And the click of guard and sickle and the flail that turn again, And drover's shout, and snap of whips and creak of horses' tugs, And a thin red line of o'gingham girls that carry water jugs; And yellow stalks and dagger beards that stab through cotton cloths, And farmer boys a-shocking wheat in long and crooked rows, And dust-vellied men on mountain stacks, whose pitch forks flash and gleam; And threshing engines shrieking songs in syllables of steam, And elevators painted red that lift their giant arms, And beckon to the Harvest God above the brooding farms, And loaded trains that hasten forth, a hungry world to fill— All sleeping just beneath the snow, out yonder on the hill!

Harsh physics react, weaken the bowels, lead to chronic constipation. Doan's Regulets operate easily. 25c a box at all stores.—Adv.

### Mt. Zion

February 25—The following is a report of Stony Lick School, Southampton Township, for the fifth month ending February 20: Number enrolled, males 13, females 11; average, males 10, females 9, total 19; percent of attendance during month, males 90, females 90, total 90. Honor Roll: Ernest Barkman, Melvin Barkman, Webster Trail, Nora Walters, Amanda Walters, Mildred O'Neal, Lucy O'Neal. Those missing but one day, Vesta Trail, Scott Trail, Russell Trail, Augusta Walters, Stewart Morgart, Dora Means, teacher.

Rev. William C. Garland preached a very interesting sermon at Mt. Zion on Sunday.

Jacob Mountain and three daughters, Eunice, Marie and Mary, of Davis, W. Va., are visiting at the homes of J. G. Collins and William Mountain this week.

Quite a number of our people took a sleigh ride to Daniel James' on Sunday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Wood O'Neal, twin girls.

J. G. Collins and Misses Eunice and Marie Mountain were sledding at Mr. Means Saturday night.

B. F. Leasure made a trip to Cumberland on Friday.

Miss Nellie Means of Cumberland, who had spent a couple of months with her grandparents, returned to Daniel James' on Sunday.

Miss Dolsie Lashley, teacher of Collins School, spent Saturday and Sunday at her home near here.

The sledding is fine and the people are certainly making good use of it.

William E. Dickens visited at Olen Dickens' on Sunday. Bill.

### NO DIFFERENCE

The Proof Is Here the Same As Everywhere.

For those who seek relief from kidney backache, weak kidneys, bladder ills, Doan's Kidney Pills offer hope of relief and the proof is here in Bedford, the same as everywhere. Bedford people have used Doan's, the kidney remedy used in America for fifty years. Why suffer? Why run the risk of dangerous kidney ills—fatal Bright's disease? Here's Bedford proof. Investigate it.

W. H. Weyant, grocer, 243 W. Pitt St., Bedford, Pa., says: "Doan's Kidney Pills are not a new remedy to me. I have used them off and on for years and wouldn't be without them. I have to be on my feet a great deal and also do heavy lifting and at times this brings on backache and other kidney ailments. A few doses of Doan's Kidney Pills always drive the attacks away. I hold a high opinion of Doan's Kidney Pills and you can continue using my endorsement."

Price 50c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Weyant had. Foster-McMillan Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y. 27Feb.21

Will Be On the Job All the Time  
William T. Creasy, who has announced himself as a Democratic candidate for Lieutenant Governor, in his first public statement pointed his finger at one of the reasons why a revolution is needed at the Capitol in Harrisburg. He says:

"If I am elected Lieutenant Governor, as president of the Senate I will be on the job all the time and there will be no prospect of bills being passed finally by 42 votes when there are only two or three in Senate chamber."

What a joy it would be to see "Farmer" Creasy, gavel in hand, presiding over the Pennsylvania State Senate. Roll calls would be no roll call if he were in that position, no parliamentary trick would save the old gang if it did not have a majority on the floor, and there would be a chance occasionally for some one to speak who was not in the good graces of the Penrose machine. There would be some truth telling that would drive a few of the Senatorial puppets into deserved obscurity and the unanimous voice of the House of Representatives would at least receive consideration at the hands of Senate committees or Creasy would know the reason why.

Next to the election of a Governor like Vance McCormick, the voters of the State could do themselves no greater service than to elect a Lieutenant Governor and President of the Senate like "Farmer" Creasy. No more skillful parliamentarian ever sat in the House of Representatives at Harrisburg than Creasy, and his experience there, as well as his intimate knowledge of State affairs and gang tactics, qualify him peculiarly for the position that he seeks.

### A New Kind of College Vacation

The most trying time of the college career of a youth—trying for his parents—is the vacation period. Very rich people, with large summer homes, or those who can travel abroad, or who can spend money liberally for their boys while they go to seashore and mountain resorts do not worry about what to do with the boy when he comes home for vacation. The very poor, likewise, do not worry, because the boy must go to work if on the farm, or into the factory or shop if in the city or town. But the average family is always at a loss as to how to give the college boy on vacation a good time without too much expense; to afford him recreation and outdoor life; and to avoid having him spend his time about the streets and shops, cheap theaters and the "movies."

It would seem that the military student camps have solved the problem for a large majority of parents. The young men will have an outdoor life, recreation, and be under discipline, at the same time receiving instruction of a most valuable character. They will be taught how to care for a camp, care for accommodations, besides military instruction which will be of great value to them in the future. Coming out of the military camps the young men would have a few weeks of unrestricted and unhampered vacation, which would give them the real holiday before they returned to college. —From "Military Camps for College Students," by Arthur Wallace Dunn, in the American Review of Reviews for March.

### Frances Slocum, a Young Girl of Wilkes-Barre, Kidnaped by Indians

The historic, but now strange story of Frances Slocum, the little girl of Wilkes-Barre, who was kidnaped by Indians in Revolutionary War times and reared among them, is the subject of the third of the Sunday North American's series of Pennsylvania romances. Nothing could be more romantic than her refusal to join her newly found brothers when they discovered her years later, an old, yet stately Indian squaw, living on the Wabash River near the grave of her savage husband.

Although Frances Slocum's descendants to a great number live in the State of Indiana, her romance is Pennsylvanian, and the thrilling adventure of her childhood belongs to the annals of this State. Her story in historical briefness has been told often, but it has remained for the Sunday North American to prepare it in attractive short story form. On March 8 it will appear under the title which she herself bore for so many years, "The White Rose of the Delawares." Readers in this locality cannot afford to miss this number of the series for two reasons. First, it is a historical occurrence which in accurate detail is printed and a matter of information with which every child and adult should become familiar because of the local setting. Second, it is an entertaining piece of literature and will delight with its romance and strangeness. Those readers who reside in the famous Wyoming Valley will be especially interested in the story.

Who was it suggested that of the three P's of the Senatorial race, Penrose, Pincho and Palmer? It is easy to see who will carry off the palm.

### HECKERMAN LETTER

A Bedford Township Boy Who is Making Good in the Drug Business.

New Kensington, March 2.—My, what game one often finds when he has no gun. For instance, a few days ago I went into Elmer Beegle's store in this city to get a drink of water and say howdy, when lo and behold perched on the stool of repentance sat John Beegle of Bedford Township. Now he must have changed some, for I was told that his son John did not know him as he walked into the drug store all alone and unannounced. How long he will visit he did not say but he was received with a royal welcome and may stay some time to play with his grandchild.

Elmer Beegle learned the drug business under Ed. Heckerman and some years ago bought a store in this very thriving city and has made good. After living here a very few years, he was elected a member of the school board. This of itself was quite an honor. The city needed a new school building and Elmer took the bit in his mouth and fought the idea from the start to finish with the happy result that he has been re-elected time and again and today is president of the board. With the pride in his own efforts, as today, this city of ten thousand does not only have the largest glass plant in the United States, but that the city has the finest public school building in the State with Elmer Beegle at its head. I enclose you a card of the building. More evidence of the good stock coming from Bedford County.

The river here is frozen over for miles and the snow on the level is about five feet deep. Oh, won't I have a time down South next spring when the ice breaks and the snow melts. I have had all kinds of weather to contend with for ten days—snow, rain and sunshine. Yet I have enjoyed it all and I never fret because it is cold, colder or coldest. Nor do I jump at once to the conclusion that God sends the cold to kill us all off. I do not suffer so much with the intense cold of the winter as with the heat of the summer, when I must tote an electric fan along to keep the skeeters, fleas and flies at a distance.

Now we fuss about the cold and act as if it were much more injurious to us than the heat, but such is not the case. 'Tis true that there is more or less danger in the extreme cold when the surrounding conditions are not favorable, but your doctors will each tell you that it is not the cold itself that is dangerous but the conditions in which we are placed. Any and everything may become dangerous to life and health if improperly used, and, if we make the wrong use of the cold, and abuse it, it becomes dangerous. To those who are very poor and those who are hemmed in by all that surrounds poverty, the cold may and is very unpleasant but not at all dangerous. The extreme cold is an aid to our health.

Airtight rooms, badly ventilated kill off thousands. 'Tis not so with those who live in well aired apartments. Therefore, the poor who suffer bodily with the extreme cold, as a rule, escape such diseases as those who are shut up in airtight rooms and are afraid to let a breath of fresh air get to them. I am always better when I can have all my windows well up and the cold air of winter fanning my bald pate. I have long since believed that it was the fear of the fresh air or cold that killed and not the fresh air itself.

But I can't make some people believe as I do. The fact is that the most robust people are those who live in the cold all the time and I am told that there has been much less complaining about throat troubles among the ladies since the fashion now in vogue, the baring of the throat and neck to the cold of the present season. This cold air which strikes the exposed neck and chest is a tonic, a stimulus to the physical system. My belief is that cold air is a real aid to health, if properly used. Let it into your homes. Do not stuff every crack and crevice in the hope of keeping it out. Bring it in and ventilate for there isn't any such thing as ventilation. Don't sleep or sit in a draft, but ventilate your homes every one of you.

## HAVE PRETTY HAIR

Thick, Soft, Fluffy, and no Dandruff—Use Parisian Sage.

If your hair is losing its natural color, coming out and splitting, or lacks that enviable softness, gloss and beauty, do not despair—pretty hair is largely a matter of care. If it is too thin make it grow. If it is harsh and brittle soften it up—lubricate it. If you have dandruff it is because the scalp is too dry and flakes off. Freshen up the scalp with Parisian Sage—all dandruff disappears, falling hair and itching head cease, your hair is doubly beautiful.

Parisian Sage, sold by F. W. Jordan, Jr., and at all drug stores, is just what you need—a large bottle costs but 50 cents. It surely makes the hair lustrous and seem twice as abundant. You cannot be disappointed in Parisian Sage.—Adv. 27 Feb. 21

### LOCAL WOMAN NOW A BIG ADVERTISER

When one of our woman customers recently bought five bottles of Harmony Hair Beautifier to give to her friends for Christmas, she started all by herself a mighty big advertising campaign, because not only does each one of the women to whom she gave a bottle of the Beautifier now consider it indispensable for the proper care of the hair, but each of them has been the means of getting several of her friends to use it. As a consequence, if things keep on in this way for a few months longer, we will be selling more of it than of all other hair preparations combined. Sprinkle a little Harmony Hair Beautifier on your hair each time before brushing it. Contains no oil, will not change color of hair, nor darken gray hair. To keep hair and scalp dandruff-free and clean, use Harmony Shampoo. This pure liquid shampoo gives an instantaneous rich lather that immediately penetrates to every part of hair and scalp, insuring off just as quickly, the entire operation taking only a few moments. Contains nothing that can harm the hair; leaves no harshness or stickiness—just a sweet cleanliness.

Both preparations come in odd-shaped, very ornamental bottles, with sprinkler tops. Harmony Hair Beautifier, \$1.00. Harmony Shampoo, 50c. Both guaranteed to satisfy you in every way, or your money back. Sold only at the more than 7,000 Rexall Stores, and in this town only by us. F. W. Jordan, Jr., Bedford, Pa.—Adv.

Put on night caps, if you have no more hair than the writer, and then have an abundance of cover on your beds and you will sleep sounder and feel much more refreshed than if you close all windows, doors and cracks where a breath of God's pure air can get in. We, one and all, frequently blame what happens to us on the cold. Now it was not the cold that caused the trouble, it was the warmth of the room and the bad ventilation that did the mischief.

Open your windows often and let in the cold. When you do you chase danger and disease out, so says Dad, who is out in all kinds of weather, exposes himself to snow, rain and slush. I have enjoyed the past ten days of cold and all kinds almost of weather crowded into the twenty-four hours that make up a day, yet without a cold or an ache.

Please send me a paper to Glen Elk Hotel, Clarksburg, W. Va., and much oblige,

Yours truly,  
M. P. Heckerman.

## CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of J. C. Watson

We have taken it for granted that Hon. William T. Creasy would have a place on the State ticket of Pennsylvania this fall, and unless all signs fail he will receive the nomination for Lieutenant Governor. Mr. Creasy is so well known after his twenty-five years of continuous service in the Legislature that it is hardly necessary to attempt to tell what he has done. As far as we can learn he served longer in the Legislature than any other member ever served. He was retained on account of his efficiency, and the high esteem he was held by fair minded men of the State regardless of their political bias. He fought the machine year after year, at times almost lone handed, but still he fought and exposed the corruption as he was able to ferret it out. Though an uncompromising foe of all their crooked work even the machine managers always had a profound respect of Mr. Creasy because they knew he was faithful, true and incorruptible. He is justly entitled to a position of honor, trust and profit. With Creasy as the presiding officer in the State Senate there would be no jobs slip past, winked at as has so often been the case. It is to be hoped that the same time he is elected enough Senators will be elected to inaugurate a new deal in this body which has been composed largely of inter-locking machines. When enough decent Republicans would rebel to threaten interference with any of the schemes of the gang, to their shame be it said that enough Democrats could be found to join with the corruptionists to assist them in carrying out their selfish purposes. We believe this will all be changed.

### Quilting Party

A quilting party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Levi Shaffer of Napier on Thursday, February 26, in honor of their daughter-in-law, Mrs. Frank Shaffer, who was presented with two nice quilts. A fine dinner was enjoyed, and the day was pleasantly spent quilting.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Levi Shaffer, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Shull, Jr., and Mrs. R. R. McCrory, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Wilson, Mrs. John Crissman, Mrs. Jacob Findley, Mrs. Harry P. Hill, Mrs. David Mann, Mrs. Samuel S. Lutz, Mrs. Jacob Bissel, Mrs. Frank Shaffer, Mrs. Evald Pleggie, Mrs. Frank Shaffer, Miss Rebecca Shaffer, Daisie McCrory, Ruie Kinzey, Jennie Shaffer, Dennis Pleggie, Edgar Findley, Benjamin, David, Robert and John Shaffer, Clair and John Smith, Glen Gordon, William Shaffer, Lester Rose, Harry Shaffer and A. J. Gordon.

### THE OLD STAGE HERO.

He of the Mid-Victorian Age Has Gone From Us Forever.

The stage hero of the mid-Victorian age wept on all the available articles of furniture when his manly heart was wrung. He was certain to observe a noble silence at exactly the wrong time, enabling the gay and glittering gentleman who was more than suspected of being an atheist to get the girl. He was cross once in awhile, when he was keeping another's secret at the expense of his own character and somebody took him at his word.

But oh, how dependable he was! How sure to meet a train or make an excellent omelet if the fragile heroine had mislaid the cookbook! How strong he was and how fond of carrying people upstairs. How well he brought up his first wife's children if he was a widower, or the heroine if he was her guardian!

He will not come again—not he nor such as he. He has passed, always with a certain dignity, his heroine's drooping curls brushing his protecting arm, into the country of last year's snow, and year before last's presidential candidate, and all forgotten, irrecoverable things. And, as his favorite author, the Swan of Avon, said, "We shall not gaze upon his like again."—Atlantic.

### WHICH WOULD YOU CHOOSE?

All the Land in Great Britain or Calico to Cover It?

If—and don't forget the "if"—you were offered as a present either all the land in the United Kingdom or a piece of cheap, common calico of the same area, which would you choose?

Probably, without a moment's hesitation, you would say, "The land" and would imagine that you had got very much the better of the bargain. From one point of view, of course, this would be so, for land lasts longer than does calico. On the other hand, however, you would be choosing very much the cheaper of the two offered gifts.

The land of the United Kingdom, including town areas, is estimated to be worth £2,500,000,000. A piece of cheap calico of the same size as the United Kingdom would cost more than £9,000,000,000.

Difficult to believe, isn't it? Still, the facts cannot be denied. Average agricultural land may be reckoned as being worth £20 an acre; building land, say, twenty-five miles from Charing Cross, £100 an acre; ten miles from Charing Cross, £500 an acre. Now, a common calico costs £121 an acre, a good calico £200, while a good quality linoleum costs £750 and an ordinary Turkey carpet £3,600 an acre.—London Answers.

### The Spy in the Reading Room.

An interesting story reaches me, says a London correspondent, of an agent of the Russian Imperial police having been stationed in the reading room of the British museum for the purpose of noting the arrival of revolutionaries in England. The type of man who is driven out of Russia is generally the intellectual, and the reading room is probably the first place he seeks out after his arrival in London. My informant tells me that the spy used until recently to sit at a desk near the door, whence he could observe everybody that entered and used to work his way steadily through the monumental catalogue of the museum, taking out books which he opened, but did not read, in alphabetical order.

### Welcomes a Whistle.

"It may be ag'in th' statoots," said "Big Barney" O'Toole as he lolled in the assembly room of a police station, "but when I'm poundin' th' pavement after midnight there's nothin' I like better to hear out 'f a la-ad than a good healthy whistle. A la-ad what's pipin' a tune about his love or th' Blue Ridge mount'ns o' Virginia is seldom up t' anny diviltry. When a crook has somethin' on his mind he ain't advertisin' himself so ye can loosen yer grip on th' locust. When ye hears th' la-ad wit' th' whistle he's yer fr'nd." —New York Tribune.

### She Would Get Even.

Tired out with an afternoon's shopping, the mother sat back in her easy chair to recite in detail the afternoon's experiences to a sympathetic home circle.

"And to cap it all I met that horrid Annie Green, and she was very impudent to me as usual," she wailed.

"The mean thing," sympathetically snapped out six-year-old Ella. "Why didn't you impudent her right back?" —New York Sun.

### No One to Lean On.

"What's the matter, Tommy?" "Oh, I'm tired of school. I'd like to go to bed for a week."

"Why, how's that?" "Well, you see, I'm in a very awkward position. I was next to the boy at the bottom of the class—and he's left." —Manchester Guardian.

### He Forged.

Trotter—When young Biffkins left college a few years ago, he declared he was going to forge his way to the front. Did he make good? Homer—As a forger—yes. He's now occupying a front row cell in the penitentiary.—Chicago News

### Life's Changes.

Life is full of changes. One day we have an office cat and no catnip, and the next day we have plenty of catnip and no cat.—Toledo Blade.

Wouldst thou subject all things to thyself? Subject thyself to reason—Seneca.

## Lincoln's Catarrh Balm



Ministers and Druggists Recommend

Lincoln's Catarrh Balm. For Coughs, Colds, Catarrh, Hay Fever, Spitting, Asthma, Hay Fever, Bronchitis, Sore Throat and Deafness Caused by Catarrh.

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William Heater, Allentown, Pa., writes: He suffered twelve years from Asthma and Catarrh, Lincoln's Catarrh Balm cured him. John MacGregor, Bridgeport, Pa., writes: That after suffering years with Catarrh and Hay Fever, Lincoln's Catarrh Balm cured him. Order today, 50 cents a jar at ED. D. HECKERMAN'S, The Druggist, Bedford, Pa.

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## The Bank and The Wage Earner

Some people have the idea that banks are only for persons of wealth or those engaged in large business affairs. But this is a mistake. Persons of moderate income, whether from wages or from produce sold, find it a great advantage to pay everything, even store bills, by check. The canceled check becomes a receipt; and accounting is an aid to success.

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Palmer, Penrose, Pincho—The Three P's

When we went to school the dominant factors were the three R's. Pennsylvania politics has changed things somewhat and has caused the alphabet to go backwards. The principal things now taking up most of our time are the three P's—Palmer, Penrose, Pincho. The first one fights to maintain the honest principles of the reorganized Democratic party in this State, Penrose fights to keep the old vagabonds in power and Pincho is fighting to get a foothold for the young but moribund Bull Moosers. By the time the voters of the State have heard all they will have to say on the stump it will be a merry mess. And above it all will stand forth prominently the honest speech of Mr. Palmer, who of the three is the most sincere in his endeavors to give the people of the State better representative government and who stands forth preeminently as one of the bright sons of Pennsylvania. He has made an excellent record as the people's champion in the lower house of the national legislature and is entitled by all the rules of political prudence and advancement to the seat in the higher body.



# GOOD BYE

## WINTER SHOES

Riding post-haste on the highways of enthusiasm came the orders to SMITH SHOERY to turn Fifteen Thousand pairs of High-grade Winter Shoes at the Cumberland Store into cash at once, no matter what the loss may be.

# SO HERE SHE GOES!

Men's Shoes, Women's Shoes, Boys' Shoes, Girls' Shoes, Dress Shoes, Work Shoes, Arctics, Felt Boots, Waterproof Shoes, Warm Lined Shoes, Felt Shoes, Cloth Shoes, Common Sense Shoes, and all kinds of Shoes, Boots and Slippers that you can think of to be cleaned up. Hundreds and hundreds of pairs loaded on large racks, all priced and tagged so that every one can pick out their sizes and see the prices and buy all they want--prices run as follows:

5c, 19c, 29c, 39c, 48c, 69c, 89c, 98c, \$1.19, \$1.48, \$1.69, \$1.98, \$2.48, \$2.69, \$2.98, \$3.48, \$3.69, \$3.98 a pair, representing prices from 25c to \$6.00 a pair.

Baby Shoes, assorted colors, a pair ..... 5c	All Whittemore's Famous 10c Shoe Polish for 4c	Men's Four-Buckle Arctics, high top, all sizes, for ..... 98c	Women's \$2, \$3, \$4 Lace Shoe, small sizes and broken lots ..... 50c	Women's Button Shoes, Patent Colt and Bright Kid ..... 69c	Men's \$3 and \$4 Patent Colt Shoes, broken lots at ..... \$1.48
Several hundred pairs of Men's Goodyear Glove Rubbers, sizes 8 1/2 to 11, assorted styles, regular price \$1.00, sale price ..... 50c	\$4.00 Men's Ball Brand Lace Felt Boots, all sizes, for ..... \$2.48	\$3.00 Women's Patent Colt, Russia Calf, Bright and Dull Kids, Button and Lace Shoes ..... \$1.98	\$2.00 Men's Ball Band, 1-Buckle Overs for felt boots. Half price, per pair ..... \$1.00	Boys' Patent Colt Blucher Shoes, \$2, \$2.50 and \$3 values, all sizes up to 5 1/2, per pair ..... \$1.00	\$1.00 Girls' Fur Top and Ribbon Trimmed House Slippers, all sizes, half price, per pair ..... 50c

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**Saturday Morning**  
**March 7 10 o'clock**  
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These Shoes cannot be bought before this sale opens or one minute after it closes at these prices, so be ready and act quick when this opportunity is thrown open to you; don't wait until the best is all gone, but get right in on the first rush and get your shoes before someone gets ahead of you and gets what you are entitled to.

### ALMSHOUSE REPORT

Annual Financial Statement of the Receipts and Expenditures of the Directors of the Poor and of the House of Employment of Bedford County, and the Steward's Report, for the Year Ending December 31, 1913.

#### RECEIPTS

Bal. in Treasury from 1912	\$ 2,763.88
Bal. requisition of 1912 from County Commissioners	332.24
Requisition, 1913	15,000.00
Checks returned	11.80
Maintenance of Adam Maugle	36.00
Burial of John Whetstone	9.61
Maintenance of Sophia Watson	1.30
Alms from Wm. Naugle	2.40
From J. R. Ritchey, Steward, sale of stock, lard, etc.	214.77
<b>Total receipts</b>	<b>\$18,373.10</b>

#### EXPENDITURES

Maintenance of inmates at Almshouse	\$137.07
Barnett, E. A., groceries	\$68.80
Blackburn-Russell Co., groc.	33.30
Boor, W. M., beef	23.00
Blackburn Milling Co., flour	6.28
Beam & Blackburn, hardware	9.58
Burpee, W. A., seeds	2.30
Beemiller, Frank, tobacco	9.73
Beam, D. W., hardware	14.45
Corle, J. S., notions	60
Campbell, G. W., furniture	214.69
Davidson Bros., coal	11.61
Diehl, N. M., coal	12.75
Drenning, Daniel, wood	4.15
Dull, John R., drugs	259.97
Diehl, A. F., meat	47.73
Foster, H. T., groceries	32.97
Farber, Geo. O., groceries	2.67
Freight and express	53.90
Gump, H. F. & Sons, stove	178.64
Hoffman, A., clothing	31.04
Heckerman, Ed., drugs	3.90
Heming, W. R., berries, plants	22.35
Jordan, F. W., drugs	106.28
Jacobs, Geo. T. & Bro., shoes, boots	18.92
Lee, S. E., beef	1.50
Minnich, Annie, onions	1.00
Murdock, J. F., clock	15.00
Murry, E. A. Co., disinfectant	20.00
May, J. B., chairs	10.32
Metzger, F. A., hardware	127.40
Moore, W. B., tobacco	76.80
McCluer, S. I., oil	13.00
Minnich, A. R., cutting ice	9.40
Leonard, Walter, cutting ice	1.75
Leonard, Jerome, hauling ice	9.25
Stoner, M. A., chair repairs	7.75
Smith, B. F., groceries	22.30
Smith, Levi and others, plants	73.66
Oppenheimer, Simon, clothing	39.40
Reitz, J. E., apple butter	34.15
Pate, F. C., furniture	51.38
Pepple Bros., meat	87.50
Prosser, J. M., flour	

Worrell Mfg. Co., disinfectant	3.00
Ritchey, S. O., coal	246.97
Seifert, J. J., ice	6.65
Staugenhaupt, W. E., dry goods, groceries	324.83
Singer Sewing Mach. Co., repairs	2.43
Straub, W. H., dry goods, groceries	112.82
Swartz, Mrs. Mica, meat	23.85
Smith, D. R. & Son, tobacco	7.84
Sharp and Dohme, drugs	8.00
Shoemaker & Guyer, clothing	64.45
Tewell, S. H. & A. C., groc.	25.75
Trout, J. C., groceries	47.31
Underhill, J. J., oysters	3.75
Wolf, S. J., extracts	1.50
Weyant, W. H., groceries	149.89
West Disinfectant Co., disinfectant	8.00
Wert, J. N., potatoes	7.20
Valley Drug Co., drugs	114.28
Uppjohn Co., drugs	10.00
Wages of nurses, domestics and freeman	413.07
Rev. J. R. Melroy, religious services	54.00
<b>Total maintenance of inmates in almshouse</b>	<b>\$4,347.13</b>

#### Farm Expenses

A. B. Brightbill, blacksmithing	\$ 54.30
D. W. Beam, hardware	11.64
W. F. Biddle, veterinary	5.00
Miller, D. S., lime	12.60
D. W. Prosser, feed	98.05
W. S. Fletcher, blacksmithing	7.90
Davidson Bros., feed, etc.	78.00
J. B. Boor, blacksmithing	8.20
Bo. McFerrer, oyster shells	.30
J. M. Prosser, feed, hogs	194.00
Frank Heming, wagon bed	12.00
Blackburn Milling Co., feed	148.90
F. H. Miller, lime	51.87
Beam & Blackburn, hardware	105.23
F. A. Metzger, hardware	18.24
G. R. Ling, harness	4.80
B. H. Baker, feed	59.00
L. S. Ritchey, lime	5.30
Freight and express	1.41
G. W. Campbell, seed corn	.80
D. R. Smith & Son, fertilizer	21.00
John Howard, feed	89.00
Dr. S. H. Rouche, veterinary	8.00
W. F. Cromwell, machinery	2.20
C. Mardoff, hatching eggs	2.00
Joe Smith, hatching eggs	1.00
J. L. Bortz fertilizer	76.43
E. R. Stayer, threshing	19.50
H. L. Hyfinger, feed	110.79
Isaac Pierson, machinery	29.53
Mineral Heave Rem. Co., drugs	6.00
F. H. Gump & Sons, hardware	8.77
Farm labor	783.89
<b>Total farm expenses</b>	<b>\$2,036.15</b>

#### Repairs

H. P. Shires, tinner	\$ 2.25
F. J. Horne, plumbing and material	126.35
C. P. LeSage, painting	86.80
Davidson Bros., plaster	9.45
Chas. Shoemaker, plastering	1.50
Beam & Blackburn, hardware, paint, etc.	80.89
F. A. Metzger, paint, hardware	86.22

Asa Diehl, carpentering	114.00
A. R. Minnich, carpentering	110.00
Horrell & Griffith, lumber	9.44
A. G. Steiner, lumber	52.95
M. C. Leader, papering	4.00
D. W. Beam, paint, hardware	63.11
W. S. Arnold, lumber	26.78
F. H. Brightbill, tin	5.00
J. H. Williams, radiators	52.55
Jacob Ritchey, sand	4.40
W. H. Steele, work on basement	3.35
G. W. Earnest, plastering	4.40
Thos. and Dan Murphy, labor	2.00
Jacob Shoaf, sand	.50
T. M. Imbler, cement work	7.50
<b>Total repairs</b>	<b>\$853.44</b>

#### Miscellaneous Expenses

Inquirer Printing Co., annual report, stationery, adv.	\$ 71.27
Urban Mut. Fire Ins. Co., insurance	22.60
Friend's Cove F. M. Fire Ins. Co., insurance	5.80
Minnich & Co. insurance	451.00
C. D. Telephone Co.	25.75
Bedford Co. Tel. Co.	38.90
J. R. Cessna, insurance	76.00
Postage, envelopes	23.86
Bal. due Steward, Auditor's report, 1912	8.02
Gazette Pub. Co., annual report, adv.	52.62
Cumberland Office Sup. Co., flat-heads, etc.	2.11
Republican Printing Co., annual report	52.32
Daily papers	2.00
<b>Total miscellaneous expenses</b>	<b>\$832.25</b>

#### Salaries

J. R. Ritchey, Steward	\$550.00
Mrs. Ellen Ritchey, Matron	187.50
A. C. Wolf, Physician	200.00
D. W. Beam, Treasurer	175.00
George A. Hillegass, Director, salary	300.00
George A. Hillegass, Director, expenses	53.13
S. S. Baker, Director, salary	300.00
S. S. Baker, Director, expenses	80.66
Rev. S. I. Brumbaugh, Director, salary	300.00
Rev. S. I. Brumbaugh, Director, expenses	90.91
H. C. James, Solicitor	285.00
<b>Total salaries</b>	<b>\$2,522.20</b>

#### Out-Door Expenses

Monthly out-door checks	\$3,230.50
E. Carroll, maintenance	44.00
John Dibert	280.00
Feeble-minded children at Polk	91.00
Insane at Harrisburg	35.00
Blair Co. Hosp. for Laura Claycomb	69.20
Deaf and dumb children at Edgewood	8.45
Huntingdon Co. Home, for M. L. Myers	236.67
Maintenance of quarantined families and emergency cases	694.05
Medical attendance, medicine, nursing, quarantined and emergency cases	69.75
Funerals	
Justices, constables, attendants, costs, orders for re-	

#### Net and conveyance of inmates

mates	139.56
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#### Total out-side expenses

	\$4,898.18
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#### RECAPITULATION

##### Receipts

Bal. in Treasurer's hands, 1912	\$ 2,763.88
Requisitions	15,333.34
From maintenance, stock, etc.	275.88
<b>Total receipts</b>	<b>\$18,373.10</b>

##### Expenditures

Almshouse	\$4,347.13
Farm	2,036.15
Repairs	853.44
Miscellaneous	832.25
Salaries	2,522.20
Outside expenses	4,898.18
<b>Total expenditures</b>	<b>\$15,489.35</b>

##### Receipts not tax receipts

	275.88
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##### Net cost of poor to taxpayers

	\$15,213.47
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##### Balance in Treasurer's hands

	\$2,883.75
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##### Directors of the Poor and of the House of Employment of Bedford County.

Attest: HARRY C. JAMES, Solicitor.

#### STEWARDS REPORT

Stock on Farm: 4 horses, 9 cows, 15 young cattle, 1 calf, 1 bull, 42 hogs.

Farm Produce: 318 bu. wheat, 200 bu. oats, 1688 bu. ear corn, 410 bu. potatoes, 58 bu. turnips, 25 bu. sweet potatoes, 50 tons hay, 2780 bundles fodder.

Meats Killed: 5411 lbs. pork, 1020 lbs. lard, 355 lbs. beef, 720 lbs. chicken.

Garden Produce: 5680 heads cabbage, 1600 bunches celery, 30 bu. beets, 54 bu. onions, 48 bu. tomatoes, 40 bu. beans, 62 bu. cucumbers, 80 bu. sweet corn, 10 bu. peas, 15 bu. radishes, 500 melons, 3 bbls. sauer kraut.

Canned Goods: 23 gal. tomato butter, 12 gal. jelly, 410 qts. canned fruit, 2 bbls. pickles.

Clothing, Etc. Made: 44 sheets, 36 ticks, 40 pillow slips, 64 towels, 60 aprons, 24 night gowns, 26 dresses, 30 skirts.

Number inmates in almshouse Dec. 31, 1913, 63.

Tramp List: Men 194, meals 443, lodgings 164.

Deaths: Adam Maugle, Eva Bottomfield, Sophia Watson.

JOSIAH R. RITCHIEY, Steward.

#### OUT-DOOR RELIEF

Persons who received groceries while quarantined, emergency cases, and amounts received by each:

Charles Swope, \$11.76; Edward Hughes, \$10.51; Harry McDaniel, \$7; Lorenzo Brown, \$11; James Livingson, \$1.01; Raymond Mock, \$5; Alva Kagerise, \$5; Levina Ritchey, \$6; Charlotte Croft, \$3.20; Isaac Hook, \$8; Etta Sheeders, \$7; George Rose,

\$10.65; Mrs. Mardoff Bariges, \$3.25; Etta Duncan, \$1.50; Agnes Dodson, \$7.50; Raymond Acker, \$10; Michael Dively, \$12.75; Harvey Rishon, \$14.97; Joseph Ritchey, \$4; Fred Gondesberger, \$5; Joseph Imbler, \$5; Vanlen Rice, \$6; Eliz. Grove, \$3; Jason Hoover, \$5; Samuel Rock, \$12; Anna Goldsmith, \$1.84; Emerson Clark, \$3.54; John Rush, \$4; Mrs. Elizabeth Riley, \$2.75; Christina Poor, \$5; Mrs. E. A. Crocker, \$6; Sarah Welsh, \$3; Henry May, \$7.44; Virgie Manges, \$4; Clara Miller, \$5; Harry Poor, \$12.96; John Reininger, \$5. Total, \$236.67.

Persons who received medical aid, nursing, etc., quarantined and emergency cases:

Mrs. Charles Bookhamer, \$9.75; salary of Dr. J. P. Price, physician to poor in Broad Top district, \$150; Carrie and Virgil Hartman, \$37.75; Lizzie Logue, \$23.50; Margaret Price, \$2; Etta Jacob and Myrtle Duncan, \$21; Hannah McDonald, \$7; Agnes, Mary and Joseph Dodson, \$23.75; Mrs. Wilson McDaniel, \$76.25; Penrose Musser, \$4.75; Mrs. Adam Ritchey, \$12; Mary J. Guyer, \$7.25; Charlotte Croft, \$5.50; Sheridan Smith, \$75.70; Lewis E. Wright, \$11.25; Harvey Rishon, \$37.85; Myrtle Mock, \$2.50; Christina Batzel, \$15; Joseph Imbler, \$12.50; Jane Orford, \$45; John Bush, \$2.50; Emma Rimbey, \$6.25; Mary Wollord, \$3.25; Catherine Corle, \$12; Herbert Smales, \$18.25; Susan Fagans, \$9.25; Alice Ramsey, \$10.75; Mary Brown, \$1.50; Henry May, \$50. Total, \$694.05.

Funerals: Brooks Sheeders, \$11; Penrose Musser, \$10; Mary Brown, \$10; Ann Richardson's child, \$7; Howard Clark, \$10; Christina Batzel, \$10; Fannie Renwick, \$10; Robe for Eva Bottomfield, \$1.75. Total, \$69.75.

Total amounts received by persons on regular monthly out-door relief:

Corle Albright, \$24; Ida M. Anders, \$24; Mrs. P. A. C. Batzel, \$9; Peter Benner, \$46; Mary Ann Barton, \$24; Mary Byers, \$48; Cora M. Burkett, \$24; Bertha Bookhamer, \$36; Emerson Clark, \$6; John Dibert, \$88; Catherine Corle, \$48; Wm. S. Claycomb, \$2; Charlotte Croft, \$2; Barbara Claar, \$13; Maria Kensingler, \$72; Agnes Dodson, \$25.50; Sarah C. Deneen, \$48; H. H. Dilling, \$96; Sophia Duncan, \$24; James Dodson, \$36; John D. Evans, \$24; Amanda Emerick, \$24; Carrie Bell Feather, \$36; Daniel Fetter, \$60; Leonard J. Poor, \$24; Wm. A. Poor, \$48; Christina Poor, \$75; Sebastian Fetter, \$36; Mary J. Guyer, \$48; Sarah J. Galbreath, \$24; Margaret Candig, \$18; James Grimes, \$36; Mary J. Gordon, \$16; Elizabeth Grove, \$22; Free love Hymes, \$24; Mary E. Hess, \$24; Joseph Hartman, \$26; Carrie Hartman, \$21; Matthew Hunter, \$36; James M. Haisting, \$36; Sophia Ives, \$8; Elizabeth Irons, \$8; William H. Imbler, \$16; James Ives, \$24; Lucinda Jay, \$24; Lawrence Jackson, \$21; Sophia Lutzgabelle, \$30; Mrs. J. W. Lingenfelter, \$48; Christina Luman, \$18; Mary Leader, \$24; Minerva McDaniel, \$60; Penrose Musser, \$6; Mary M. Morse, \$24; Stacy McCreary, \$60; Mary Miller, \$39; Rebecca Miller, \$24; Harry McDaniel,

\$36; John Meck, \$60; Anna Morris, \$18; Core Mellett, \$18; Jackson Meck, \$16; George Myers, \$36; Maria M. Otto, \$8; Rebecca Pasco, \$20; Margaret Price, \$36; Y. P. Olson, \$28; John Rush, \$28; Emma Rimbey, \$22; Fannie Ritchey, \$36; Levina Ritchie, \$30; Rebecca Ruby, \$6; John W. Stuffer, \$27; Clara Sheeder, \$36; Susan Snyder, \$18; Jonas Sparks, \$36; Ann Smith, \$24; Sheridan Smith, \$93; Ellen Speelman, \$24; Barbara E. Smith, \$48; Mary Spiker, \$30; Ellen Smith, \$24; Mary Slick, \$24; Lucinda Stauffer, \$24; Minnie E. Stuckler, \$36; Maud Shaffer, \$8; Levina Speelman, \$24; Edward Smith, \$36; Bertha Smouse, \$72; Elizabeth Murry, \$12; Katie Thompson, \$36; Mrs. Lewis E. Wright, \$48; Mary Waters, \$36; Jane Wise, \$24; Anna Williams, \$24; Mary Wollord, \$24; Barbara I. Willison, \$28; Mary Williams, \$24; Sarah Walter, \$36; Mary E. Walter, \$24; Alice Weyandt, \$24; Priscilla Winesage, \$18; Robert H. Young, \$24; Elizabeth Zimmerman, \$24. Total, \$3,230.50.

Poor Directors of Bedford County. Attest: Harry C. James, Solicitor.

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FRIDAY MORNING, MARCH 6, 1914

**Democrats who wish to vote at the primaries must be registered and enrolled. The last opportunity in townships and boroughs is March 18; in third class cities April 29 is the last day.**

Democratic County Committee will meet Saturday, March 14, at 1 o'clock p. m. in the Court House.

In Chicago sugar, in quantities of 100 pounds, is being quoted at one cent per pound. This is due to the reduction of the tariff, one of the many instances where the masses receive the benefit.

In making up the Old Gang Republican slate for State officers, the Hon. Botes and his colleagues have evidently forgotten the gentleman from East St. Clair Township, who, when a candidate for Congress, lost his "Home Ward, Home Town and Home County."

## WILSON'S FIRST YEAR

The following is an outline of the work done during the first year of Woodrow Wilson's administration:

A banking and currency law which has removed the hand of Wall Street from the government.

A tariff act reducing duties on necessities of life and resulting already in price reductions on upwards of 100 such articles.

Pernicious lobbying driven from the halls of Congress that the members might legislate free of intimidation.

Amendment of the Constitution permitting the levying of the most equitable impost known—the income tax; and providing for the direct election of United States Senators by the people.

Return to popular government signified by the President appearing in person and reading his messages to Congress.

Fifty million dollars distributed to farmers to assist in the movement of crops.

Parcel Post system extended and improved to the great benefit of the people.

Armorplate Trust compelled to play fair with the government and submit bids with some appearance of competition, resulting in a governmental saving of \$2,000,000.

Ratification of eight general treaties and the consummation of scores of smaller arbitration pacts.

Establishment of an 8-hour day for women and girls in the District of Columbia.

Enthronement of the "New Freedom" in the place of "Special Privilege" and "Big Business."

## Deafness Cannot Be Cured

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

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## St. Clairsville Lutheran Charge

John H. Zinn, D. D., Pastor  
Sunday, March 8—Sunday School 9; special sermon 10 a. m. St. John's: Sunday School 1; special sermon 2 p. m. Evangelistic services are being conducted at St. Paul's Church, Imier, by Revs. Zinn and Zehring, and will continue into next week.

## Wolfsburg M. E. Charge

J. R. Melroy, Pastor.  
Sunday, March 8—Wolfsburg: Sunday School 9:30; preaching and communion service 10:15 a. m. Trans River: Preaching service 3 p. m. Rainsburg: Preaching service 7:30 p. m.

## Hopewell

March 3—During the past week we have shared the same fate as the rest of the county by having quite a blizzard.

The funeral of George W. Rinard of Riddlesburg was held in the Brumbaugh Church last Saturday afternoon and the body was laid at rest in the adjoining cemetery.

Albert Hightenour died last Friday morning. The funeral was held Tuesday afternoon and interment made in the Hopewell Cemetery.

Mrs. James Weyant was taken to the Blair Hospital in Huntingdon last Saturday, where she will undergo treatment for rheumatism.

C. F. Helsel made a business trip to town and lodged at the home of G. H. Murphy. He left Wednesday morning for Saxton.

Martin Golden of Sandy Run came home from the Blair Hospital, Huntingdon, last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Nicodemus spent Saturday and Sunday at the home of Frank Nicodemus of Schellsburg.

C. F. Helsel was called to Altoona recently, where he attended a business meeting in the Prudential office. He was accompanied by his wife. They then made a visit at the home of G. F. Hawkins of Mt. Union over Sunday.

Roy Dodson has been confined to his home for several days on account of a severe attack of tonsillitis.

Mrs. Thomas Smith of Stone Row is improving slowly. She has just returned home from the hospital.

## Queen

March 3—One of the most severe blizzards in the recollection of the oldest inhabitants visited Queen and vicinity on Sunday and Monday. The blizzard commenced Sunday afternoon. Besides drifting roads and impeding travel it unroofed Craig Delinger's house and Jonas Walter's stable. It blew down and unroofed a part of Benjamin Walter's barn. Clarence Burkett's house and the Dunkard Church, both in course of construction, were razed to the ground by the mad elements.

The oyster supper and box social held by the Reformed Sunday School Saturday evening were a success, financially and socially.

Mrs. Jeremiah Wright, Sr., and Josiah Walter are still numbered among the sick.

Rev. Santel of Altoona, working in the interest of the Blair County Anti-Saloon League, delivered a temperance lecture in the Reformed Church Sunday afternoon.

Calvin Boyer and wife and Martin Brown and wife of McKee visited Mr. Boyer's and Mrs. Brown's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Boyer.

## Cessna

March 3—Robert and Irene Anderson made a business trip to Schellsburg on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Koonitz and Miss Nellie Croyle of Bedford Sundayed with the former's mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Koonitz.

Mrs. Bert Hoestune and Mrs. George Anderson visited their uncle, T. R. Studebaker, at Point on Wednesday.

Mrs. Henry Geisler, Mrs. Joseph Crissman, Mrs. Mahan and John Geisler of St. Clairsville spent Wednesday with the former's sister, Mrs. James Hinton.

Dr. Gamble and family of St. Clairsville spent Sunday at the home of Charles Koonitz.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Smyth and daughter of Fishertown were guests on Thursday at the home of George Anderson.

Daniel Wolfe and family of Wolfsburg spent Saturday and Sunday at this place.

Calvin Trout made a business trip to Wolfsburg last week.

Samuel Way of near Fishertown made a trip to this place on business on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank McCreary of Bedford spent Friday at W. F. Berkleimer's.

Miss Clara Reisswick of Imiertown Sundayed with home folks at this place.

Mr. and Mrs. James Hinton were New Paris callers last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Blackburn spent Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. John Williams, of near Schellsburg.

William Feight and family, Mrs. Elizabeth Amick and Mrs. Mira Arnold and children were entertained at the home of Wilson Hissong on Sunday.

At St. Paul's Reformed Church at Cessna Friday evening, March 6, Miss Ida Jenness Moulton, a well known impersonator and musical entertainer of Beverly, Mass., will speak for the benefit of the Bedford Grange, No. 619, P. of H.

## Osterburg

March 3—The Bell Telephone Company's wires through here are badly damaged.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Martin of Altoona spent Sunday with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Bowser.

Mrs. Bruce Croyle is spending some time in Altoona with Mrs. J. H. Martin.

Those from here who attended the Stiver horse sale in Bedford on Saturday were George Riddle, Shannon Kaufman, Liveryman J. S. Bowser and H. Kerr Bowser.

Josiah Pritchard and Charles Berry of Philipsburg stopped over Sunday night at the Bowser Livery Stable on their way home with a number of horses they purchased at the sale in Bedford that day.

Miss Rhoda Stambaugh, after spending some time in Altoona, has returned home.

Mrs. Laura Walter spent Sunday with her husband at Queen.

Ross Crissman and Miss Charlotte Stambaugh attended the entertainment given by the Cartwright Quartette at Fishertown last Saturday evening.

Frank Stewart of Bedford was here yesterday looking after the telephone wires, but on account of the roads being so badly drifted, he could do little repairing.

## St. Clairsville Reformed Charge

J. W. Zehring, Pastor  
Sunday, March 8—Osterburg: Sunday School 9; preaching 10:15 a. m. Imier: Sunday School 1; preaching 2:15; missionary service 7:15 p. m.

## New Paris

March 4—Frank Ling of Johnstown is a guest in our village this week.

Clyde Studebaker and wife of Johnstown have been spending a week in our community among friends and relatives.

Mrs. Irene Ralston has returned from visiting her sons, who reside at Wilmerding.

Dr. Horn, Dr. Shoenenthal, Miss Laura Shoenenthal and youngest daughter of Rev. Winwood are among the sick of our village.

A valuable horse died at the livery stable of William E. Blackburn, which was owned by Noah Thomas. It became overheated by traveling through drifted snow. On the same day W. I. Taylor had to kill a valuable horse by getting a broken leg from the kick of another horse.

On the night of March 1 the heaviest snow storm passed over this community that has been known by the oldest citizens. A number of window panes were broken; the smoke stack at the grist mill of W. A. Spultz was torn down and a number of roofs were blown off in the vicinity of Hellville. After witnessing the storm which continued the next day, one need not go to the Dakotas to see a snow blizzard.

Job S. Blackburn, formerly a resident of near this place, died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Jas. Helman, Johnstown, on March 1, aged 75 years, six months and 23 days. His body was brought to the home of another daughter, Mrs. Alda Taylor, of Fishertown. Funeral services were conducted at her home on Tuesday by Rev. M. C. Flegal. Interment was made that afternoon in the Reformed Cemetery at New Paris. The deceased was a member of the M. E. Church for many years. He married Miss Margaret Albaugh, who preceded him in death several years ago. The following children survive: Ida E., Mrs. James Helman; Carrie E., Mrs. Jacob D. Miller of Johnstown; Alda M., Mrs. James A. Taylor of Fishertown; Grace, Mrs. Elder J. Bolen of Livermore; Stella M., Mrs. Harry Smith of Schellsburg; William L. of New Paris; Myrl A. of Alum Bank and John E. Caj.

Our spring suits are made right and sold right. At P. G. Gustafson's tailor shop there are many exclusive fabrics now on hand for your selection. Call at 116 S. Richard.—Adv.

## Imier

March 3—The sick of our community are all improving.

Mr. and Mrs. James Gordon and family attended the funeral of Marie Kelley in Altoona on Monday.

A son was born recently to Mr. and Mrs. Warren Moses. Mother and baby are doing nicely.

The storm of the first and second did some damage here by tearing parts of roofs from buildings.

Revs. Zinn and Zehring will hold services at this place continuing this week, provided the weather is favorable.

Rev. Zinn and Mrs. Adda Moses and daughter, Aldine, attended to business at this place on Saturday.

A pleasant surprise party was tendered Mrs. V. A. Stuft in honor of her 51st birthday at her home at Imier Saturday evening, February 28. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. V. A. Stuft, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Imier, Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Kauffman, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Kauffman, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Beegle, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Roundabout, Mr. and Mrs. William H. Deffenbaugh, Mr. and Mrs. W. Beegle, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Ickes, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Dell, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Fickes, Mr. and Mrs. John Burkett, Mr. and Mrs. John C. Gorie, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Imier, Mr. and Mrs. Sydney G. Fickes, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Griffin, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Colebaugh, Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus L. Imier, Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Imier, J. P. Fickes, William H. Imier, Lincoln S. Imier, Mrs. Anna Otto, Mrs. Kate James, Mrs. W. B. Weyant, Mrs. John Deffenbaugh, Mrs. O. S. Acker, Mrs. J. A. Crilly, Mrs. C. R. Kauffman, Mrs. Martin Grabbill, Mrs. Lloyd Exline, Mrs. Daniel Mock, Misses Rebecca Imier, Carrie Imier, Ada Fickes, Nellie Gordon, Mary Kauffman, Violet Deffenbaugh, Ruth Mock, Vivian Corle, Marguerite Ickes, Ada, Kathryn and Lillian Stuft; Elwood Fickes, Elmer Deffenbaugh, Edgar Grabbill, Charles Gordon, Homer Deffenbaugh, Russell, Ralph and Walter Kauffman and Woodrow Wilson Burkett.

## DIED

HOUSEL—On Tuesday, February 17, Solomon M. Housel died in Greenville Township, Somerset County, aged 78 years. He was a native of Bedford County.

SNIVELY—Early Wednesday morning Miss Barbara Snively died in Woodbury Township, Blair County. She was a daughter of the late David and Hannah Snively and was born at Woodbury, this county, in 1858. Two brothers and three sisters survive.

GRUBB—Saturday morning, February 28, Mrs. Salina Grubb died in Cumberland, aged 62 years. She is survived by five daughters, one of whom is Mrs. James Mearkle of Everett, and two sons, William and Stanley Grubb, both of this county. Interment was made in Rose Hill Cemetery, Cumberland.

## Dunning's Creek Reformed Charge

E. A. G. Hermann, Pastor  
Sunday, March 5—Pleasant Hill: Worship 10 a. m., subject, "The Hidden Manna," pastor's class 11 a. m.; Home Missionary service 7:30 p. m. St. Paul's: Sunday School 9:30 a. m. St. Luke's: Sunday School 9 a. m.

## Presbyterian Churches

Services on Sunday, March 8, as follows: Schellsburg—Sunday School 9:30; preaching 10:30 a. m. Mann's Choice—Preaching 2:30 p. m. Everybody welcome.

## Unbelievable.

Of course we have all heard many strange tales and unbelievable stories, but did any one ever hear of a woman who kept boarders and had a husband who paid the grocery bills?

## Rainsburg

March 3—The storm which passed over our community Sunday night and Monday was the worst in many years.

Last Wednesday Register and Recorder J. D. James was taken very sick at his home here. Dr. H. C. Lessig of this place and Dr. Ayres of Bedford were called. At this writing he is some better.

Ellis Koonitz and John C. Bortz of Bedford were business visitors in our town on Friday.

Mrs. W. J. Pascoe is critically ill at her home on Cumberland Street. Master Harold Stuckey suffered an attack of croup today.

W. B. Shoemaker and wife and A. S. Guyer and wife of Bedford were Sunday visitors at the home of Mrs. B. A. Shoemaker.

Clarence Fitzmons of Huntingdon was a business visitor in our town today.

D. Clyde Cessna and Miss Grace Stewart of Bedford visited at the home of J. D. James on Sunday.

Mr. McDowell and Miss Margaret Statler of Bedford took dinner at Hotel Cessna on Sunday.

Chester D. Cessna visited friends in Huntingdon from Saturday until Monday.

A baby boy arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Young Tuesday morning.

One of the most enjoyable events of the winter season was a surprise party tendered Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Beegle Saturday evening, February 28. The affair was a most beautiful token of filial affection, as to Miss Fannie Beegle, belongs the honor of surprising her parents upon their return from Bedford, by escorting them into a room full of friends and neighbors who greeted them as only loyal friends can upon such an occasion. About three sledloads of happy and noisy persons had taken possession of the house when Mr. and Mrs. Beegle arrived, and from ten until nearly midnight was devoted to various games and to partaking of a sumptuous feast, consisting of oysters, served in various ways, different forms of pickles and salads and ice cream, cake and coffee. Nothing was omitted that would lend enjoyment to the occasion, and when the time came, all too soon, when it was necessary to depart for their homes, every one present expressed himself as having spent a most pleasant time, and voted Mr. and Mrs. Beegle and Miss Fannie as excellent host and hostesses. Those who were present are: Mr. and Mrs. David H. Reighard, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Cessna, Dr. and Mrs. H. C. Lessig, Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Beegle and family, Mrs. Samuel Shaffer, Mrs. Karl Fisher, Mrs. Edward M. Smith, Irvin Smith and wife, Mrs. J. B. Cessna, Miss Jennie Cessna, Mrs. John Ott, Margaret Ott, Miss Gertrude Reighard, Mr. and Mrs. William Shaffer, Mrs. Nettie Shaffer, Miss Mary Morgart, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Piller and son, Mr. and Mrs. John Morris and family, Walter Shaffer, Fern Shaffer, Ansel Smith, Mr. and Mrs. John T. Shaffer and family, Percy Smith, Miss Ruth Cessna, Thelma Lessig, Irene Roland, Mrs. Sim Pennell, Dr. and Mrs. W. E. Fawcett, Margaret Pennell, Mrs. Eva Blackburn and daughter. Many others were prevented by various causes from attending and the only thing that marred the complete happiness of Miss Fannie was that in hurriedly inviting her parents' friends, she unintentionally neglected several whose presence was desired and who, had they been there, would have lent much increased pleasure to the occasion.

## Wait Paint

There are painters and waiters. Which am I going to do? Paint or wait?

Which is better? How much am I worth with my property waiting? How much if I paint? Will my house be worth more or less if I paint?

It costs \$2 a gallon Devco—I wouldn't paint any other—and \$3 or \$4 more for putting it on. That's \$50 or \$60 a 10-gallon job.

The money is gone. Is it in the house? Is it all in the house?

Suppose I were selling; what should I get for that house fresh-painted and what should I get for it needing-paint?

I wonder why men paint before selling?

Metzger Hardware and House Furnishing Company sell it.—Adv.

## "The Willows"

March 3—Misses Mary Ott and Ettie Smouse of Everett spent a day last week with Miss Eliza Smouse.

Mr. and Mrs. John Smouse of Lutzville were guests last Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Mary Mortimore.

William Reed of Everett visited his brother, George Reed, last Sunday.

Frank Shearer spent a few days last week in Morrison's Cove.

W. S. Clark returned home on Friday from a four days' trip to Chambersburg.

Mrs. Mary Amick is spending some time with her son, Guy, of Altoona.

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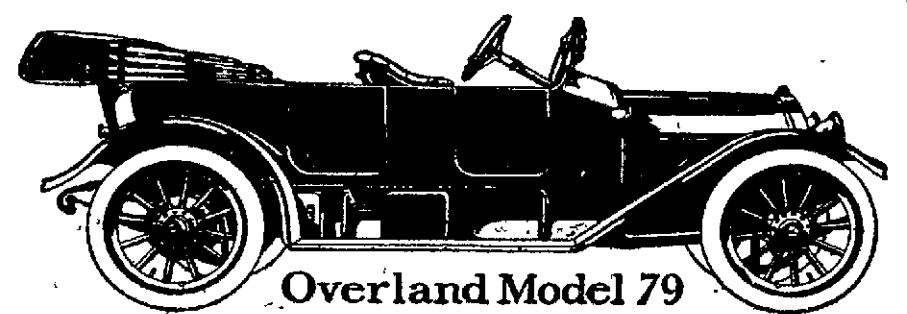
Irwin Clark of Clear Ridge spent Sunday night with his uncle, Howard Clark.

Howard Clark and family left on Tuesday for Clear Ridge, where they will reside on a recently purchased farm. They will be missed by many friends here.

## School Report

Following is a report of Ottown school, Colerain Township, for the fifth month ending February 25, 1914: Number enrolled, 23; average attendance, 19; per cent. of attendance, 87. Honor Roll: Lena Diehl, Mary Diehl, Verna Diehl, Ruth Beegle, Irene Beegle, Adaline Ball, Theodore Gindlesperger and Herbert Gindlesperger. Those missing one day only: Mary Beegle, Russell Beegle, Elar Bingham, Alvin Ott and Robert Haney. Visitors, 4. Raymond Whetstone, Teacher.

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## Private Sale of Furniture at Waverly Hotel

Still going on. Wardrobes, Beds, Springs, Mattresses, Dressers, Stands, Pillows, Carpets, Refrigerator, Mangler, Etc.

See Harry C. James, Esq.

## Centerville

March 4—Miss Elizabeth Smith, housekeeper for Joseph Smith, and sister of Albert Smith, suffered a paralytic stroke on Sunday and has been critically ill ever since.

Calvin Oster, who has been ill, remains about the same.

Mrs. Gephart is improving.

Mrs. David Fetter of Connellsville is spending ten days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Nave.

The protracted meeting at the Fellowship Church is still in progress. There have been 40 converts.

Mrs. George Miller does not improve yet.

The storm on Monday left many of our roads impassable on account of the drifts.

The Central State Normal School, Lock Haven, Pa., is the Place For You.

We have a special course for teachers, beginning May 11th and lasting for seven weeks. This prepares for the provisional, professional and permanent examinations, and students who pursue this course also get credit for the work they do in our regular course of study which leads to graduation. The total cost for board, furnished room, washing, etc., is \$34 for the seven weeks. Send for particulars and illustrated catalog to Dr. George P. Singer, Principal, Lock Haven, Pa.—Adv.

## Revival Services

Members of the Church of God at Coalmont are enjoying a revival service. There have been a number of conversions. Sunday evening the Chamberlain Quartette of Six Mile Run was present and rendered some fine music. The house was filled to overflowing. This quartette consisting of members of the same family have rendered excellent music in various revival services and their singing is always uplifting. The meeting will continue over next Sunday, services each evening at 7 o'clock. Preaching at Saxton next Sunday at 10:30, subject: "The Believer's Reward." No preaching at the Ridges till March 22.

The Church of God at Saxton and Coalmont will make a special effort during the Lent season to raise funds for various church purposes. At Saxton a market will be held each Saturday afternoon in Weaver's Hall. St. Patrick's eve there will be a social and April 7 a "Dollar Social" will be held. At Coalmont the church building will be repaired. A special effort will be made to have all the members of the church attend services on Easter Sunday. The market and supper held last Saturday evening was a success.

Gazette "want" ads bring quick results.

## SALE REGISTER

All persons having sale bills, printed at this office get a free notice in the sale register. This is worth several times the price of the bills.

On Tuesday, March 10, at 12 o'clock noon J. W. Kniseley will sell the following personal property at his residence five miles south of Bedford: Cow, heifer, 2 brood sows, 2 wagons, farm implements, windmill, chopping mill, folding saw, sled, sleigh, sprayer, wire fence, lot of carpenter tools, some household goods and many other articles.

At one o'clock p. m. on Saturday, March 14, at the livery barn in Hopewell C. E. Ross will sell 2 horses, 2 wagons, 2 cultivators, corn planters, 2 shovel plows, 2 harrows, buggy, sleigh, spreaders, log chains and other articles.

On what is known as the "Grove Property," South Richard Street, Bedford, on Saturday, March 21, at 1 o'clock p. m., Ambrose R. Hanks will sell the following: Geyser traction engine, 2 large saws, wheelbarrow, lot of chains, grabs, singletrees, spreaders, sink, lot of sawmill tools, chairs, desk and other articles.

Miss Virginia Gephart will sell the following personal property on the Gephart farm, near Bedford, on the Almshouse Road, on Wednesday, March 25, at 1 o'clock p. m.: Two Jersey cows, calf, 3-seated spring wagon, Colonial piano, 2 spinning wheels, corner cupboard, 3 stoves, tables, chairs, and other articles.

At one o'clock p. m. on Wednesday, March 25, Mrs. Margaret E. Williamson will sell the following personal property on the premises, three miles north of Bedford, on the Hollidaysburg pike: Two horses, 2 heifers, 4 shoats, chickens, turkeys, wagon, sled, buggy, all kinds of farm implements, bedsteads, bureaus, tables, stoves, combination book case and writing desk, carpets, hay, grain and many other articles.

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### \$12.00 to \$25.00

Including Crepes, Poplins, Serges and Honey weave wear, in Navy, Tango, Mahogany, Copenhagen and Black.

Men's Stylish Spring Suits, Plain and Fancy Serges, in blue, brown, tan and gray.

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MARCH 6, 7 AND 9

We will offer on these days some  
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Unbleached Muslin, yd. wide at 4½¢  
All other grades at same low price.

Bleached Muslin at great cut in original  
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We have on sale a fine assortment of lace  
that is worth 8 to 10c yd. at 5c per yd.

One lot of Embroidery that is worth 12½¢  
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Don't forget the days—Friday, Saturday and  
Monday, March 6, 7 and 9

## Straub's

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Along with a pair of glasses that do not suit your eyes and in nine out of ten cases do your eyes more harm than good. We sell nothing but the very best lenses and can fit you with glasses as low as \$1.50. Don't pay a man that is just going around, ten or fifteen dollars for glasses that you can buy here for \$3.50 to \$5.00. All our glasses are guaranteed to give satisfaction. The Examination is Free.

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\$1.00 Velvet Corduroys now on  
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roys at 50c per yard. Blue, Brown,  
Green, Garnet, Gray and Mahogany  
Shades.

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## A Desperate Situation

BY EUNICE BLAKE

At an Episcopal mission on the Chinese coast situated far from any white settlement the Rev. Mr. Waterman, a lean and hungry looking bachelor of forty-five, went to the superintendent, Mr. Blanchard, and said:

"I have been laboring in this field now for twenty years and have never been associated with any but Chinese during that time gave only my co-workers. I must resign and go to another field."

Mr. Blanchard, unwilling to lose so valuable an assistant, said:

"Supposing, brother, a companion could be given you—a wife to labor with you and cheer you."

Mr. Waterman thought in that case that he could stand it awhile longer, but he didn't know where the wife was to come from. There were only married white women at the station, and he would not marry a heathen Chinese woman. Mr. Blanchard told him that there were women without husbands in civilized lands who might be induced to come out and marry a clergyman.

A few months after this conversation the Rev. Mr. Southgate, twenty-five years old and a bachelor, was standing on the dock belonging to the station awaiting the coming of a ship that appeared to the eastward. He was so homesick that anything coming from a Christian land interested him, and his object in being on the dock was to see a ship that had come from the land he loved.

When the ship was docked and the gangplank in position the only woman who came down it was not only white, but comely. She seemed much cast down. Mr. Southgate approached her, raised his hat and asked if he could do anything for her.

"I have some business with the Rev. Mr. Waterman," she said, "but I don't wish to go directly to his house. Can you direct me to a place where I can lodge temporarily?"

"Let me take that bag," was the reply, "and the other things. I will think of some place for you while we are walking to the station. There is not much in the way of accommodation here. How long will you need a lodging place?"

"That I can't say. Do you know Mr. Waterman?"

"Oh, yes, very well."

"What kind of a person is he?"

"A very excellent man indeed."

"Is he good looking?"

"Oh, no. Mr. Waterman is not good looking."

"How old is he?"

"Between forty-five and fifty."

"Light or dark?"

"Neither. He has red hair and many freckles."

The young woman stopped. Mr. Southgate looked at her inquiringly.

"I'm going back on the ship," she said.

"Going back on the ship?"

"Yes"—sighing—"I came out here to marry Mr. Waterman, not knowing anything about him. From what you say he must be frightful."

There was a long silence, during which the young woman wept.

"You are sure you wouldn't marry Mr. Waterman?"

"Yes, I am. I'll jump in the sea first I have nothing to go back to and am desperate. Perhaps the best thing I can do is to drown myself."

"Oh, dear, no! You needn't do that. Would you be contented to remain here as the wife of a man about my age?"

"Perhaps," was the indefinite reply.

"I wouldn't mind helping you out; that is, if you would permit me."

There was no reply to this, but the sobs were less frequent.

"If you're going to take me," continued Mr. Southgate, "it might be less embarrassing for you to marry me before you see Mr. Waterman."

"Perhaps it would."

"But there must be some reason given. It must be reported as a mistake."

"You might tell me you are Mr. Waterman."

"That would be untrue."

"I have never told a lie, but I have never been placed in such a position before. I will say that I forgot the name; that I thought it was Southgate."

"There comes Waterman, now."

"Oh, heavens!"

"Let us turn down this walk."

The sight of Mr. Waterman struck the poor girl with terror. She clung to her escort and trembled. They met a young clergyman, and Southgate said to him:

"Marbury, got anything to do just now?"

"Nothing particular."

"Go to the chapel; I wish you to do something very particular."

Marbury consented and in a few minutes was joined by the couple.

"Marry us," said Southgate.

"Marry you?"

"Yes. This young lady came out here on a venture to marry old Waterman. I'm her only hope."

The marriage ceremony was performed and the two were made one. When it was over Southgate said to Marbury: "Go to Blanchard and tell him. Get him to fix it up with Waterman. That's a good fellow."

"I'll do it. Are there any more like you coming?" he asked the bride.

She smiled and said, "No, I hope not for your sakes."

Mr. Blanchard fixed the matter by sending Mr. Waterman to civilization to find a wife for himself.

March 3—Owing to the drifted roads, the U. S. mail has been delayed for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cuppett and son of Mann's Choice spent a day at the W. H. Dull home since my last letter.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dull and family and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Diehl and family of Schellsburg R. D. spent last Sunday with Mrs. Dull's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Solomon Diehl.

Mrs. Charles Corley is spending some time with her mother, Mrs. Mary Barclay, who is ill.

Among those who attended R. A. Stiver's horse sale on Saturday were: W. H. Keller, Lewis Diehl, Harry Hillegass, William Brant, George Shoemaker and Samuel Diehl.

Mrs. W. H. Dull has returned home, after visiting a few days at the home of her son, Charles Dull, of Schellsburg, R. D.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hillegass and two children visited Mr. Hillegass' brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hillegass, of New Buena Vista over Sunday.

Miss Flora Brant is visiting Greensburg relatives.

Oscar Hyde and Jacob Corley took a load of apples to Berlin on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Diehl and family visited Mrs. Diehl's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dull, of Schellsburg, R. D., over Sunday.

Ross Corley visited home folks over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Shippy and family Sundayed at the Mrs. Rosena Corley home.

Job Wendel took dinner at the John Keller home on Tuesday.

Miss Pearl Shoemaker visited home folks over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Diehl and Andrew Diehl spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Philip Turner and family.

The recent storm which passed over this section did considerable damage, by unroofing several houses, barns, etc.

### Chaneyville

March 2—The storm of the past 24 hours has done a great deal of damage in this section. It blew about fifty trees down across the public road in the distance of about a mile on Clear Ridge near the Barkman school house. The telephone wires were torn down and several buildings badly damaged. About one-third of the roof on John Gordon's barn was blown off as well as part of the roof of Levi James' barn. A. L. Tewell's hen house was blown over.

Those who spent Sunday at the home of Wood O'Neal were Mr. and Mrs. Thornton James, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry James, Mr. and Mrs. Olen Dickson, Mrs. Bernard Diehl, Mary and Walter Diehl and Mary Bennett.

Robert Hust, who has been working for Philip Swartzwelder the past few years, has gone to Murley's Branch, where he will be employed.

Emory Howsare is filling his wood house.

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Imported French Voiles—especially beautiful texture with allover printings and Parisian side border, yard, 45c and 50c.

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### Chalybeateville

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Job Imier and wife of Hagerstown, Md., were pleasant callers in our village one day last week.

Grover Hershberger and wife of Cessna visited in our village on Sunday.

The Literary Society at Oakdale last Friday evening was well attended. Much credit is due for the fine recitations and good order.

George W. Diehl, who has been in a critical condition for some time, is not improving rapidly.

On account of badly drifted roads, the mail is very irregular. A great many of the roads are impassable.

Miss Rena Arnold is visiting her sister, Mrs. Walter Bowers, of Youngstown, O.

Friend's Cove Lutheran Charge

J. J. Minemier, Pastor.

Sunday, March 8—St. Mark's: Divine worship 10 a. m. Sermon subject, "Why Am I a Lutheran." Bald Hill: Preaching services 7:30 p. m. Union evangelistic services will be held at Bald Hill beginning Sunday evening, and will be conducted by Rev. M. A. Kieffer of the Everett Reformed Church and the pastor. Everybody is invited to these services.

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Harry Stuckey took a sledload of young people to the Literary at Cross Roads last Thursday evening.

A dance was held at the home of Charles Stuckey last Friday evening. Those present from this place were Charles Dallas and wife, Anna Smith, Ward Whetstone and Harry Stuckey.

The many friends of Mrs. Harry Ickes met at her home and gave her a pleasant surprise on Thursday of last week. She was presented with a beautiful quilt, which was quilted during the day. A sumptuous dinner was served. Everything imaginable in the way of "eats" was there. The day was very pleasantly spent and was one long to be remembered. Mr. Ickes and family will move about the middle of the month to a farm near Three Springs.

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### Mattie

March 3—Rev. J. W. Hoffman began his revival services at Memorial Church Tuesday night.

A sledload of young people of Everett spent Tuesday evening at the home of George H. Conner of Mattie.

Samuel Winck and family spent Wednesday night of last week at the home of Hiram Fletcher.

Edward Fletcher attended the horse sale at Bedford on Saturday.

The barn belonging to Howard Clark of Emerson burned Sunday night. An automobile, two cows, two sheep and several chickens and some farming implements were also consumed.

Olive Layton, who is employed at Bedford, is spending a few days at her home at Mattie.

William Davis and family of Clear Ridge spent Sunday and Monday with their daughter, Mrs. Samuel Morris.

### Clearville

March 3—J. H. Conlon of Everett, Rt. 3, John W. Redinger of Black Valley and Lewis Steckman transacted business at this place on Wednesday.

The following persons spent Wednesday afternoon at the William M. Diehl home, viz: Rev. D. G. Herick, wife and daughter, Martha, Mrs. Lyman Grove and Master Palmer Diehl.

David Barkman and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Weimer of this place attended the funeral of Irvin Browning Wednesday forenoon at Chaneyville.

Both of our schools were closed on Monday on account of the storm, which blew out some window lights Sunday night. Clay W. Hockenberry had only one pupil on Monday at the Pine Hill school.

The rural mail carriers and the carrier on the star route did not start out on Monday.

Watson Ward of our village attended the Stiver horse sale at Bedford on Saturday.

Miss Susan Roland of Chaneyville has been visiting at the home of her niece, Mrs. Albert Fetters, since Sunday.

The following persons spent Thursday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Emanuel P. Diehl of Route No. 1, viz: Rev. D. G. Herick, wife and daughter, Martha, Oliver Steckman, Mrs. George Ward and Miss Hixon of Route No. 1. Mrs. Diehl being on the sick list, the women prepared dinner, churned and also prepared the "sponge" for baking. Hence they not only paid a visit but also gave a lift in the work.

Saturday morning the writer drove to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Bennett near Steckman. He found Mr. Bennett ill. After spending several hours very pleasantly at this home, he drove to Chaneyville and put up for the night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Bartholow, and Sunday afternoon came home through the storm. He had to go over highways and byways and through fields.

Rev. G. M. Frownfelter has his protracted meeting going on at this place since Sunday a week.

The storm Sunday night and Monday took a part of the roof on Rev. James Troutman's house off.

Gideon.

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### Mt. Zion

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Mrs. Anna Belle Leasure and granddaughter, Avis, visited at B. F. Leasure's and Means' last week.

Miss Harriet Means, who spent a portion of this winter at her home here, returned to Cumberland on Saturday.

Those who attended Stiver's horse sale in Bedford on Saturday were: Humphrey Trail, William Dicken, Conda Ash, Claude Trail and Benjamin Leasure.

Mrs. Ella Fetters and son, Alvah Carl, spent a couple days recently with the former's mother, Mrs. B. F. Leasure.

Bruce Shaffer made a trip to Everett this week.

Alvah Leasure, who has been working for Daniel James of Maryland, is spending a few days at his home near here.

Some of the teams around here are engaged in hauling cross ties to Everett.

Percy Bennett's house caught fire on Sunday owing to the strong winds blowing the pipe off. It was discovered by Frank Adams who was passing by. He outened the fire, there being no one at home but Mrs. Bennett and a small child.

Grant Browning's family visited William Trail's on Sunday.

William Bowman's family were strolling to Colonel Fetters of near Zion on Sunday.

Miss Cora Trail is suffering with quinsy.

Alonzo James visited friends in Black Valley on Sunday.

Mrs. William Trail, who has been sick for some time, is slowly improving.

Mr. Mc. Perrin's visited at George Perrin's on Sunday.

### Waterside

March 3—R. O. Teeter of Altoona spent several days recently at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Teeter.

George Horner of Roaring Spring spent several days with friends in Waterside.

Miss Leta Gates is visiting her sister, Mrs. E. B. Furry, of Johnstown.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Baker, son John, and Mrs. A. H. Gates spent Sunday with friends in Roaring Spring.

Miss Mary Woodcock is the guest of friends in Altoona.

Ira Detwiler, while using the gasoline engine and planer, got his left hand on the knife cutting his hand so badly that the two middle fingers were taken off at the second joint and the other two badly injured.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Z. Guyer spent Sunday at Roaring Spring.

Joseph Snowden and A. B. Woodcock are on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Pressel and son, Walter, former residents of this place, were recent callers at Waterside.

On account of the severe storms, the mail and telephone service has been bad in this part of the Cove.

### Fishertown

March 3—George Croyle of Gessna spent Wednesday at this place.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Hoover visited friends at New Paris on Sunday.

Joseph Stayer of Bedford Township was a business visitor here on Friday.

Mrs. T. E. Berkeimer, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Wolfe and Mrs. Russell Mowry spent last Sunday at Osterburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Elias Blackburn visited friends at Pleasantville on Friday.

Mrs. Walter Schell and daughter of Schellsburg visited friends here recently.

Mr. and Mrs. John Faint attended a banquet in Huntingdon last Thursday night.

Misses Jennie and Pearl Zeigler of East Freedom spent Saturday and Sunday with Fishertown relatives.

Joseph and Bruce Blattenberger of Roaring Spring spent a couple of days recently with their parents.

Owing to the terrible storm and drifted roads, our mail carrier, Harry Bisel, was unable to get through Monday evening. It takes some storm to stop him but this one was too much.

Mrs. Harry Kirk, who is employed in Altoona, spent Tuesday at this place.

The body of Job Blackburn was brought here from Johnstown Monday evening to the home of his daughter, Mrs. Alda Taylor. Funeral services were conducted on Tuesday at 1 o'clock by Rev. Flegel of Schellsburg. Interment was made at New Paris. Those from Johnstown who attended the funeral were Mr. and Mrs. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Helman, and George Taylor of Altoona.



## The Comforter

A Story of President Lincoln  
Founded on Fact

By F. A. MITCHEL

When the great struggle between the northern and southern states came on Allan Fitz Hugh, twelve years old, was at school in Virginia. He was a boy of delicate physique, but was full of fire, and, hearing that Abraham Lincoln was coming southward at the head of an armed force, was much troubled because he was too young to shoulder a musket and repel the invader. He found it difficult during those exciting times to attend to his studies, and had it not been for the influence of his mother, whom he dearly loved, he could not have been kept at school at all.

In those days the passion attending war ran high on both sides. The songs, the gibes, the speeches and what was written concerning the great struggle were very bitter and usually far from the truth. In the north it was "We'll hang Jeff Davis on a sour apple tree," and in the south President Lincoln was called "the baboon." The northern schoolboy conceived the idea that President Davis was an ogre, not realizing that he was an educated gentleman, had commanded a regiment of United States troops in the war with Mexico, had been a United States senator and secretary of war. The southern schoolboy considered President Lincoln a wild man from the western woods who delighted in bloodshed. Children whose minds are not developed must concentrate upon one head in any movement in which they are interested. So Allan's thoughts dwelt upon Mr. Lincoln, embodying in him the whole northern army, which was to him a terrible horde coming down to destroy the south.

When Allan was fifteen he begged his mother to let him go to fight for the Confederacy. Naturally she clung to her son, and the matter was compromised between them in this wise: If the war was not over in another year Allan was to enlist with his mother's consent. Many boys of his age, both in the north and in the south, broke away from parental restraint and enlisted without permission. Food for powder was in demand, and the recruiting officers often winked at the fact that the recruits were under age. But Allan was his mother's only child, and, being of an extremely affectionate disposition, the bond between them was doubly strong.

So Allan continued at his studies, though he read more about the battles that were being fought than the subjects treated of in his textbooks. He lived in Richmond and at one time had listened to the roar of cannon during the seven days' battles that had been fought between Lee and McClellan. His admiration for soldiers wore away some of his bitterness against the Federal generals, but President Lincoln was still the embodiment of his repugnance for the northern people. The two heads—Davis of the Confederacy and Lincoln of the Federal Union—throughout the war continued to represent the bitter antagonism felt by either side.

In the early spring of 1865 Allan Fitz Hugh came to be sixteen years of age, and his mother reluctantly consented to his going to fill the gaps in the southern ranks made by northern missiles. When the time came for him to leave his mother he was seized with a foreboding that he would not see her again. It is questionable whether he suffered the more at the parting, mother or son.

Allan enlisted in time to take part in one of the last battles of the war. He saw a dark line of blue on the edge of a wood behind earthworks. With the Confederate line of battle he moved toward it. Suddenly a storm burst in his face. He felt himself collapse and sank down on the ground.

His companions in arms went on, but were soon driven back and over him, leaving him there with a stream of blood flowing from his side.

Later he was picked up by a Federal ambulance corps and placed on a stretcher. He believed himself to be dying, and, oh, how terrible not to be able to bid his mother goodbye!

"Mother!" he cried. "Oh, mother!" A tall, spare man in citizen's apparel heard the call and directed the carriers to put down the stretcher and, kneeling beside it, asked tenderly: "What can I do for you, my poor boy?"

"You are a Yankee. You will do nothing for me. I wish to send a message to my mother, but it will never reach her."

"Give me your message and I promise you that I will send it for you."

The next morning Mrs. Fitz Hugh heard of the battle and knew that her son had been in it. While she was wondering what might have been his fate a man rode up to her and gave her a message, stating that it had come by flag of truce.

Starting for the front at once, the anxious mother succeeded in bringing her boy home. He hovered for some time between life and death, then began slowly to recover. Not long after this Richmond was evacuated by the Confederates, and President Lincoln went down there from Washington. When he was riding through the street on which the Fitz Hughes lived Allan was propped up in an easy chair on pillows, and his mother pointed out Mr. Lincoln to him.

"Oh, mother!" exclaimed the boy. "What is it, Allan?"

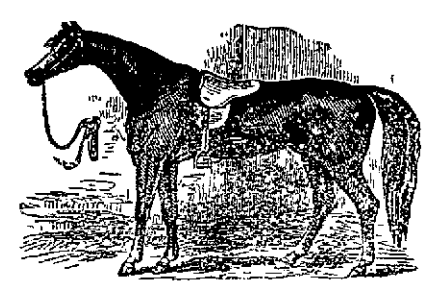
"He's the man who comforted me when I was carried off that dreadful battlefield and he sent you my message."

# Here They Go Again

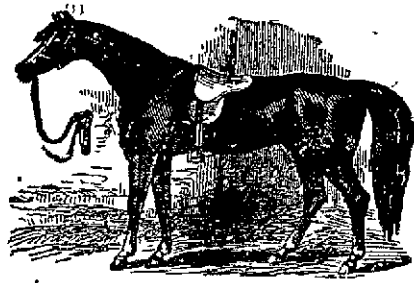
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York Countians Vouch for a Snowdrift Resurrection.

York, Pa., February 27.—A story of the remarkable burial and resurrection of a horse is vouched for by Leo Miller of Winterstown, York County, who owns the animal.

Miller's horse ran away last Sunday, and disappeared as completely as though the earth had swallowed him. Yesterday as a party of men crossed a field several miles from the scene of the runaway one of them noted the end of a sleigh-runner protruding from a snowdrift. They began to dig, and soon uncovered Miller's sleigh, with the horse attached to it.

The animal, though perhaps buried under the snow four days, seemed not the least bit the worse for its experience.

### Something He Had Forgotten.

When little Marjorie tried to spread her toast with a piece of butter almost as large as the bread itself, her father remonstrated, saying, "You mustn't be so wasteful, Marjorie; some of the poor people in China have to get along on a few grains of rice each day." "But, father," replied Marjorie, "you must remember that rice swells."

### YOU CAN'T EARN MONEY

#### WHEN YOU'RE LAID UP

There are a lot of people in this town who cannot afford to be sick. Perhaps none of you feel that you can, but certainly some of you can't, for as soon as you are sick, your wages stop and worry and debts begin to pile up. The sensible thing for you to do, as soon as you feel run-down and worn out, no matter what the cause, is to take something just as quick as you can to build up strength and health. Make yourself more comfortable and provide against serious sickness.

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### Sunday School Notes

About six weeks ago a tour of the county in the interest of the schools of each district (save a few districts which we thought would handle the work nicely so) was made. At these conferences the school visitation has now been made and that the district officers are well acquainted with the work of each school of their district. We hope the several executive meetings of our districts will ascertain how many schools they have which may, in their judgment, attain to the Front Line Standard. That to these local schools there may be given such assistance by the district officers as will enable them to come up to the Front Line goal.

The County Executive Board decided to give a banner to the district which on a certain percentage basis does the best Sunday School work. This standard will be so arranged that the several districts will have equal opportunity to receive this "banner." We trust that now even before the conditions are fully worked out by the committee in charge, each district of the fourteen will set out in quest of this banner of recognition. But whilst you strive remember that your true purpose is to bring out more loyal service for the Master through the Sunday School.

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8. Offerings for Denominational and Interdenominational County Sunday School work.
9. Statistics sent to the County Association and school represented at annual County or District Convention.
10. Monthly workers' meeting (10 months).

M. J. Weaver,  
County President.

## Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

### Long Life.

Sir John Lubbock, the scientist, has shown how long insects may live if preserved from accident and harm of all kinds. The greatest age attained by an insect, as far as known, was that reached by a queen ant, which lived until August 2, 1888, when she was nearly fifteen years old. Another queen of the same species died after a life of thirteen years.

### Chinese Settlement in Paris.

Paris now has a Chinese settlement, which is both law-abiding and picturesque. The first families arrived a year ago, and now one hotel shelters fifty-three Chinese in five rooms. The men are mostly engaged in making toys, which the women and children sell throughout the city.

## Retired Georgia Planter's Advice To Kidney Sufferers

Regarding the wonderful curative merits of your Swamp-Root, I cannot say too much. After suffering severely for three years or more with severe pains caused by weak kidneys, I was finally induced to try Swamp-Root through a testimonial I read in one of the newspapers. I was in such a condition that I was obliged to arise from my bed six or eight times every night. I purchased a fifty-cent bottle and before it was used I felt so much relief that I purchased a one-dollar bottle and by the time this was taken the old pains had left my back and I could sleep the whole night through. I am a retired planter, 70 years of age, and owing to Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, I am in the best of health and feel like a boy. I am always glad to recommend Swamp-Root to those who are in need of it. Sincerely yours,

C. E. USSERY,

Bowersville, Ga.

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### Pine Grove

March 3.—Isaiah Claar spent from Sunday until Tuesday in Philadelphia on a business mission.

Quite a number of our people attended an entertainment given by the Cartwright Brothers at Fishertown Saturday evening.

Joseph Manges and family moved to Pleasantville on Monday of last week. Mrs. R. O. Griffith and son Roy moved to the house vacated by Mr. Manges on Tuesday, and Charles Claycomb and family moved to the farm vacated by Mrs. Griffith and son.

Mrs. Ross Bowser is added to the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. Levi Custer spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. Henrietta Barclay of Pleasant Valley.

J. H. Wolf, wife and daughter, Miss Daisy, were pleasant callers at the home of P. A. Bender on Friday. A number of our young folks attended the entertainment held at the Union School House Friday evening.

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## SUNDAY SCHOOL.

Lesson X.—First Quarter, For March 8, 1914.

### THE INTERNATIONAL SERIES.

Text of the Lesson, Luke xii, 35-48; Memory Verses, 47, 48—Golden Text, Luke xii, 37—Commentary Prepared by Rev. D. M. Stearns.

The secret of deliverance from the snares of this present evil age is the attitude of expecting the return of the Lord Jesus, according to the teaching of the epistles, "waiting for the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ," "serving the Living and True God and waiting for His Son from heaven," "looking for that blessed hope, the glorious appearing of the great God, even our Saviour Jesus Christ" (I Cor. i, 7; I Thess. i, 9, 10; Tit. ii, 13).

In the gospels, as in the Old Testament, the coming of Christ is generally, if not always, His coming in glory to set up His kingdom; His coming in vengeance upon His enemies and with redemption for Israel, as in Deut. xxxiii, 39-43; Isa. xxxiv, 1; xxxv, 4; lxiii, 1; Matt. xxiv, 30; xxv, 31. His coming for His church, previous to His coming in glory to judge the nations was specially revealed to Paul, as we saw in our last lesson.

The reference to the return from the wedding in verse 36 makes us think of the order of events in Rev. xix, where the coming in glory with His saints follows the marriage of the Lamb; also in Matt. xxv, 1, in both the Syriac and Vulgate versions, the reading is that the ten virgins went forth to meet "the bridegroom and the bride," so that the virgins cannot represent the church, nor can the "all nations" of Matt. xxv, 32, include the church. The church must be seen with Him as the Bridegroom and with Him when He shall come in His glory (Matt. xxv, 1, 31; Col. iii, 4). The coming of Christ as the Son of Man is His coming with His saints to begin His reign of righteousness and peace on earth (Matt. xxvi, 64; Dan. vii, 13, 14; Isa. xxxii, 1, 17).

Having considered the interpretation, we must not lose the application to our own hearts as set forth in such words in our lesson as loins girded, lights burning, watching, ready, doing (35, 37, 40, 42, 43). The loins girded takes us back to Ex. xii, 11, and the light of the first passover and on to Eph. vi, 14; I Pet. i, 13; "loins gird about with truth," "gird up the loins of your mind, be sober and hope to the end for the grace that is to be brought unto you at the revelation of Jesus Christ."

Watching reminds us of the thrice repeated "watch" of Mark xiii, 33, 37; the reproof in Gethsemane: "Couldst not thou watch one hour? Watch ye and pray lest ye enter into temptation" (Mark xiv, 37, 38); the praying and watching of Eph. vi, 18; Col. iv, 2; the "Watch ye; stand fast in the faith" of I Cor. xvi, 13, and the watching to see what He will say (Hab. ii, 1). The word "ready" reminds us on this part "all things are now ready," but there is a fullness of "baptism ready to be revealed in the last time" (Luke xiv, 17; I Pet. i, 5).

Believers should always be ready to preach the gospel, ready to every good work, ready to be absent from the body or to be caught up to meet the Lord in the air (Rom. i, 15; Tit. iii, 1; Acts xiii, 13; Rev. xix, 7; I Thess. ii, 10-18). As to "doing" (verse 43), while there can be no doing on our part to obtain salvation (Rom. iv, 5; Eph. ii, 8, 9), we are saved in order to good works which God has prepared for us to walk in, works which are good and profitable unto men when they are God working in us both to will and to do of His good pleasure (Eph. ii, 10; Tit. iii, 8; Phil. ii, 13).

The coming of Christ will not be to His waiting ones as a thief, for we are not in darkness, but children of light and of the day (I Thess. v, 4, 5). We are stewards of the manifold grace of God and of the mysteries of God, and the one thing required of a steward is faithfulness (I Cor. iv, 1, 2; I Pet. iv, 10). All who handle the word of God must be careful to give meat in due season, not only milk for babes, but meat as people are able to bear it (I Cor. iii, 1-3; Heb. v, 12-14; John xvi, 12).

We are stewards in reference to all with which our Lord has intrusted us, whether talents or wealth or the gospel, and we must give an account of our stewardship. Every one of us shall give account of himself to God (Rom. xiv, 12). This will be at the judgment seat of Christ, where only saved ones shall be to be tried for their service since they became believers. We need for all our service such words as these: "That God in all things may be glorified through Jesus Christ." Not as pleasing men, but God, who trieth our hearts" (I Pet. iv, 11; I Thess. ii, 4; II Tim. ii, 15).

As Joseph shared the throne with Pharaoh, so we are to share the rule with Christ in His kingdom, but whether over few or many cities will depend upon our faithfulness as stewards now (Rev. iii, 21; v, 10; Luke xix, 17, 19). Joseph was ruler over all Egypt; Christ shall rule over all the world (Ps. lxxiii, 11).

There are those called servants who are only outwardly servants, like the Pharisees. Such shall find their place with the unbelievers. However they may profess to have known Christ, He will say to them, "I never knew you. Depart from Me ye that work iniquity" (Matt. vii, 21-23).

That there will be different degrees of punishment seems evident from verses 47, 48.

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The bill marks a long advance over the proposal contained in both the Kenyon bill and the old Beveridge bill because it applies to a wider range of employment of older children (between 14 and 16) for whom it forbids night work and establishes the eight-hour day. In short, it applies to more occupations and more children, contains more provisions and authorizes more officials to begin suit upon complaint of more different sets of people.

**Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA**

No Doubt About What He Meant. Bass—"I suppose you think I'm a fool?" Cass—"That's what troubles me." If your supposition is correct, then you are a mind-reader, and therefore you cannot be a fool; and yet—well, you understand."

### Not Practicable to Heat Pennsylvania Orchards

Pennsylvania's fruit industry has not yet reached the point where it is practicable to heat orchards with smudge pots or other devices in the early spring and be sure that by so doing one can guard against frosts. An orchard firm, which made inquiry about this matter of State Economic Zoologist H. A. Surface, has been written the following advice:

"Concerning smudge pots for heating orchards in the spring, I have not had personal experience with them. I know where heating has been tried unsuccessfully in this State. It has failed from two standpoints. First, some orchards near mine were heated at considerable expense and my trees, which were not heated, bore so much fruit that they had to be thinned, thus I would have lost had I attempted heating. Second, I know where some growers have heated and others have not and both lost all their crops. It may be that in the course of time some system of heating will be devised that may be successful and satisfactory in this part of the country, but the conditions are so vastly different from those in the far West that we can only say smudging and heating is yet in its experimental state in the orchards for this region. Being experimental I recommend persons to try it, but remember that we cannot recommend this with certainty."

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The announcement recently of the candidacy of Hon. A. Mitchell Palmer for the Democratic nomination for United States Senator and of Hon. Vance C. McCormick for Governor was received by the Democrats of Pennsylvania with general satisfaction. No other two men in the State so pronouncedly personify the issue for which the re-organized Democracy of Pennsylvania stands, and no other men are more able or better qualified to fill the offices to which they aspire. The candidacy of Palmer and McCormick means that there is to be no backward step in the steady march of progressive Democracy, nor no finching in the battle for clean politics begun in this State three years ago. Foremost in this movement from its inception Messrs. Palmer and McCormick have been acknowledged leaders, and it has been very largely through their untiring efforts that the Democracy of the State has risen to its present proud position. Therefore, it is eminently fitting that they should be our standard bearers in the coming contest for the overthrow of the Penrose dynasty.

**Advertised Letters**

Thomas M. Peely, Mrs. B. M. Smith, Miss A. Garters, Miss Cora E. Shirer; card: F. Goldhard.

W. J. Minnich, P. M. Bedford, Pa., March 6, 1914.

**Ornaments Last Longest.**

Ornaments last longer than anything else that man makes. There are brooches and necklaces in museums more than 40 centuries old. Monuments, perhaps, stand second, and houses third. The life of furniture is shorter still. There is very little furniture in England which dates beyond the year 1500. Pictures last longer than furniture, and there are paintings still in fair condition which have weathered six centuries of life.

**Some Profit.**

A handful of raw pig iron, weighing about five pounds, is worth five cents. From it 60 table-knife blades can be made, of a value of \$15. Converted into steel watch springs, there can be about 110,200 of those tiny coils made from it. They sell for \$1.75 a dozen, which would bring the neat sum of \$16,070.83 for the five cents' worth of raw metal.—Browning's Magazine.

**The "Alleged Gentleman."**

This quaint notice was recently posted in a Cardiff club. "If the alleged gentleman who took three brushes from Mr. —'s color box imagines they will paint poultry without the assistance of the master hand he is gravely mistaken and therefore may as well return them to their rightful owner."—Pall Mall Gazette.

### County Auditors' Report

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE COUNTY AUDITORS OF BEDFORD COUNTY, SHOWING THE RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES FOR COUNTY PURPOSES FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1913.

DISTRICTS	Co. Tax	State Tax	Dog Tax
Bedford Hor.	\$8,267.24	\$1,107.21	\$32.25
Bedford Twp.	7,236.17	527.11	279.75
Bloomfield	1,988.33	53.83	84.00
Bedford Twp.	5,077.43	233.22	40.50
Coudale	3,060.00	9.04	33.00
Colerain	3,183.66	370.98	108.15
Cumberlnd Val.	7,333.56	464.93	113.25
Everett	3,482.32	1,024.15	33.50
Harrison	1,532.37	235.61	01.50
Hopewell Twp.	625.09	164.20	47.25
St. Clair E.	1,753.69	108.68	99.75
Byndam	1,755.40	221.75	48.00
Juniata	2,350.28	50.00	136.50
Kimmell	1,550.84	141.63	100.00
Lincoln	736.59	77.25	77.25
Liberty	2,770.87	50.68	52.50
London	373.08	38.04	48.00
Londonberry	1,074.98	363.40	152.75
St. Clair W.	3,438.63	804.13	111.00
Mann's Choice	643.00	120.59	15.75
Monroe	2,102.36	244.13	184.50
Providence W.	3,832.92	280.61	139.75
New Paris	307.60	101.92	12.00
Pleasantville	291.17	107.00	5.25
Providence B.	1,810.56	61.03	123.75
St. Clair E.	3,438.63	804.13	111.00
Rainsburg	325.00	72.14	15.75
Saxton	1,802.50	254.25	44.25
Shadyside	627.64	108.26	27.00
Snake Spring	2,183.06	140.78	90.75
Southampton	1,091.00	167.48	113.50
St. Clairville	141.84	79.16	9.75
St. Clair W.	2,400.12	422.30	100.30
St. Clair W.	1,757.26	210.10	58.50
Union	613.30	110.08	48.00
Woodbury Twp.	2,092.82	133.26	70.30
Woodbury Twp.	3,206.83	133.26	70.30
Woodbury S.	4,348.78	243.20	137.25
Totals	\$70,213.00	\$8,580.22	\$3,547.25

Statement of the Account of John Fletcher, Treasurer of Bedford County, Showing the Gross Receipts and Expenditures for County Purposes From January 1, 1913, to January 1, 1914.

DR.	CR.
To amount on hand as per Auditor's report of 1912	\$38,146.73
To amount duplicate State tax	5,350.22
To amount duplicate County tax	7,013.00
To amount of State tax returned	7,158.26
To amount jury fund, per A. S. Guyer, Prothonotary	16.00
To amount Non-Resident Hunters' License refunded by State	110.69
To amount of fines from Justices	19.00
To amount Sheriff District Attorney fees, costs, fines, etc.	279.85
To amount redemption of unseated land	127.71
To amount sale of old plank, etc.	30.55
To amount rent of old jail	100.00
To amount fund James C. Berkheimer, State Hospital	52.00
To amount from tax lien	23.73
To amount Commonwealth notes	27.00
To amount Hunting License, non-resident making returns	55.00
To amount overpaid bill	24.26
	\$194,973.97

CR.	DR.
By amount of Commissioners' drafts, not including sheep damages, agricultural premium, bonds and interest paid	\$68,840.88
By amount 5 per cent. discount for prompt payment	3,427.05
By amount exonerated, County tax	801.85
By amount exonerated, State tax	123.43
By amount exonerated unseated land tax	392.83
By amount Justices' costs	28.06
By amount Justices' notices	114.50
By amount Justices' commissions	334.20
By amount tax liens filed	26.50
By amount of bonds and interest paid	8,017.54
By amount of agricultural premium	1,100.00
By amount of salary of John Fletcher, Treasurer	3,363.50
Balance in hands of Treasurer, January 1, 1914	\$2,804.10
	\$194,973.97

Statement of the Account of John Fletcher, Treasurer of Bedford County, Showing the Gross Receipts of Dog Tax and the Expenditures for Sheep Damages During the Year 1913.

DR.	CR.
To amount of dog tax, 1913	\$3,517.25
To amount of dog tax, sundry sources	6.48
To amount in Treasurer's hands, Auditors' report of 1912	1,521.72
	\$5,045.45
By Commissioners' drafts	\$1,535.95
By exonerated on dog tax	354.73
By 5 per cent. for prompt payment	91.30
By 2 1/2 per cent. commission on \$1,339.17, \$1,734.70, \$6.48	107.81
By 2 per cent. commission to Justices	27.33
Balance in hands of John Fletcher, Treasurer	2,958.31
	\$5,045.45

County Officers	County Courts
Commissioners' salaries	\$3,000.00
Clerk, salary	1,000.00
Deputy Attorney, salary	800.00
Solicitor, salary	375.00
Janitor, salary	120.00
	\$5,595.00
Grand and petit jurors	\$3,917.45
Filing wheel, drawing jurors	272.96
Constables, mileage, etc.	606.08
Court Criers and Tipstaves	515.78
Stenographers	668.57
Sheriff, attending court	39.00
Prothonotary fees	100.00
Librarian	25.00
Commonwealth costs	1,213.47
Report to State treasury	20.00
	\$7,436.91

Court House Expenses	County Prison
Coal, wood and work	\$188.36
Brooms and mops	9.45
Furnishings	65.60
Ice, court house and jail	3.34
Telephone, C. H. and jail	55.05
Electric and day labor	8.00
Light, C. H. and jail	388.61
Winding town clock	20.00
Ink, pens, postage, box rent and express	93.60
Repairs	90.94
Disinfectants, C. H. and jail	46.75
	\$1,000.71

County Prison	State Prison, Reformatory and Hospital
Boarding prisoners	\$879.90
Tunkeys, commitments, etc.	141.50
Doctored	70.00
Janitor service	165.00
Coal, wood and work	\$43.83
Food and merchandise	49.00
Repairs to jail	105.53
Soap and oil	17.69
Washing and mending	50.23
Physician and medicine	20.53
Recapturing prisoners	16.00
Insurance	304.76
	\$1,558.04
Maintenance in State Hospital	\$5,407.00
Conveying inmates to hospital	1,006.05
Maintenance in penitentiary	1,120.00
Maintenance in reformatory	120.00
Reformatory school, Morgantown	144.31
Glenn Mills School	240.10
Costs in reformatory	368.22
Huntingdon Reformatory	41.84
	\$7,490.33

Elections	Roads and Bridges
Proclamations	\$ 441.75
Printing ballots	396.91
Return judges for election officers	2,833.49
Compensing election returns	120.00
Return judges for election officers	15.37
Printing ballots	3,920.50
Booths and scrubbing	2.90
Ballot election expenses	149.00
Belmont ballots	55.57
Saving tickets	73.57
	\$1,722.85
New bridges, county, etc.	\$ 74.15
Bridge repairs	\$141.28
Lumber for bridges	1,116.10
Bridge inspection	130.22
Grading, appraisals	70.71
Plans and specifications	17.72
Road damages	430.00

Repair State roads	1,048.27
Road and bridge views	441.52
Bridge painting	730.70
Cleaning channel	30.25
	\$5,657.61

Printing Stationery and Blank Books	Miscellaneous
William C. Johnson & Co.	\$ 3,617.54
Henry Hall	\$282.05
Republican Printing Company	137.15
Inquirer Printing Company	216.15
Gazette Publishing Company	320.83
Berrett Press	61.20
	\$1,048.90
Interest and county debts	\$ 3,617.54
Alms house requisition	15,338.34
Sheep damages	1,535.05
Registration and assessment	3,108.22
State tax to Commonwealth	9,544.33
Fair appropriation	1,100.00
Mutual indigent soldiers	900.00
Headstones	50.00
Water rent	250.00
Auditing accounts	722.00
Prothonotary fees	6.00
Prothonotary's fees	28.84
Prothonotary's fees	18.00
Prothonotary's fees	746.00
Prothonotary's fees	8.00
Prothonotary's fees	4.30
Prothonotary's fees	96.41
Prothonotary's fees	27.30
Prothonotary's fees	50.00
Prothonotary's fees	10.00
Prothonotary's fees	120.00
Prothonotary's fees	200.00
Prothonotary's fees	156.42
Prothonotary's fees	74.79
Prothonotary's fees	38.00
Prothonotary's fees	358.00
Prothonotary's fees	7.50
Prothonotary's fees	26.77
Prothonotary's fees	100.00
Prothonotary's fees	14.00
Prothonotary's fees	21.06
Prothonotary's fees	10.00
Prothonotary's fees	74.44
Prothonotary's fees	70.00
Prothonotary's fees	3.00
Prothonotary's fees	6.24
Prothonotary's fees	1,610.00
Prothonotary's fees	30.73
	\$40,385.02

### ALMS HOUSE ACCOUNT

Receipts and Expenditures of Bedford Poor Fund, for the Year 1913.

DR.	CR.
To balance from 1912	\$ 2,793.38
To amount requisition	15,338.34
To amount from various sources	275.85
	\$18,373.10
By Directors' vouchers	\$15,480.35
By balance in Treasurer's hands, January 1, 1914	2,883.75
	\$18,373.10

Resources	Liabilities
Balance in County Treasurer's hands, January 1, 1914	\$52,504.10
General fund	401.53
Commonwealth notes, estimated	2,000.00
Agricultural premium	1,000.00
Primary election expenses, estimated	1,100.00
	\$55,505.63
Bonded indebtedness of Bedford County	\$36,000.00
Note and interest	784.00
Excess of Resources over Liabilities	18,721.63
	\$55,505.63

We, the undersigned Auditors of Bedford County, hereby certify that the foregoing report of the receipts and expenditures of the county, shows a correct and true statement from January 1, 1913, to January 1, 1914.

F. P. BARTON, A. J. SHAFER, O. S. McMILLIN, Auditors.

Attest: IRA M. LONG, Clerk. 20 Feb. 31.

### ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

[Estate of Olen S. Hook, late of Cumberland Valley Township, Bedford County, Pa., deceased.]

Letters of administration c. t. a. on the above estate having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to the said estate are requested to make prompt payment, and those having claims to present the same without delay to

HARRY ROSE, Administrator, Cumberland Valley, Rt. 1.

B. F. MADORE, Atty. 30 Jan 61

### NOTICE OF SPECIAL MEETING OF THE STOCKHOLDERS OF THE BEDFORD ELECTRIC LIGHT, HEAT & POWER COMPANY.

A special meeting of the stockholders of The Bedford Electric Light, Heat & Power Company will be held at the office of the Company, No. 131 1/2 So. Juliana Street, Bedford, Pennsylvania, on the 12th day of March, 1914, at 11 o'clock a. m. for the purpose of holding an election and voting for or against an increase of the indebtedness of the Company from nothing to fifteen thousand dollars, in accordance with the provisions of the Act of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, entitled, "An Act to provide for increasing the capital stock and indebtedness of corporations," approved February 9th, 1901, and the supplements thereto and amendments thereof, and for the transaction of such other business properly coming before said meeting.

By order of the Board of Directors

WILLIAM BRICE, JR., Secretary.

Jan. 9, 91.

### EXECUTRIX' NOTICE

[Estate of Richard W. Ickes, late of King Township, Bedford County, Pa., deceased.]

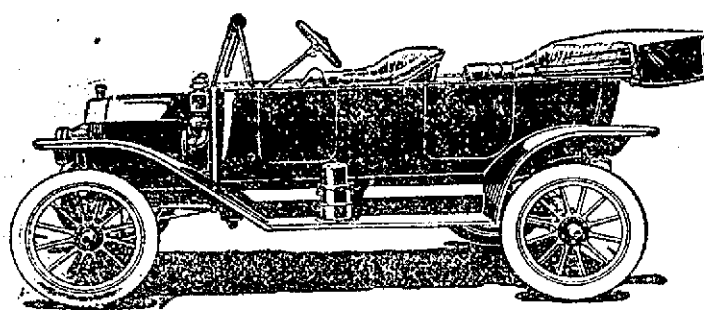
Letters testamentary having been granted the undersigned executrix named in the last will and testament of Richard W. Ickes, late of King Township, Bedford County, Pa., deceased, all persons having claims or demands against the estate of the said decedent are hereby notified to present the same without delay for payment, and all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make prompt payment of the same.

JULIA A. ICKES, Executrix, Weyant, Pa.

SIMON H. SELL, Attorney, Feb. 20 61.

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Wanted—Pupils for piano lessons. Write or call on Miss Anna McLaughlin, Bedford, Pa. 30 Jan. 14.

Try just one bottle of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. 2 sizes, 25 and 50c. Ross A. Sprigg, 225 South East St., Bedford.

For Rent—Two rooms, next door to National House. Apply to William Snell, Bedford. 6 Mar. 31.

For Sale—Beagle Hound Gyp Pup, 10 months old. Will sell cheap. M. W. Corle, Bedford.

For Sale—Pair of thoroughbred Chester White hogs, 15 months old. E. A. Hershberger, Wolfburg, Pa. 20 Feb. 14.

For Sale, Cheap—Harley-Davidson Motor Cycle, 1913 model, used only part of last season. D. Ray Smith, Wolfburg.

For Rent—Steam heated flat, newly papered and painted; bath; coal found for range; moderate rent. Apply to C. D. Brode.

Wanted—Homes for two boys, aged 4 and 8 years. Bedford County Almshouse, Josiah R. Ritchey, Steward. 30 Jan. 14.

For Rent—One six-room flat on north side of Pitt Street and two offices in Ridenour Block, heated by hot water. J. W. Ridenour, Bedford.

For Rent—Most desirable modern house in Bedford, corner John and Bedford Streets, adjoining residence of Captain Frederick Metzger. Apply to R. C. Hall, Bedford, Pa.

Wanted—Woman with girl eight years old, wants position as housekeeper or work on farm. Address Mary C. Koontz, Piney Creek, Bedford County.

Renter—Wish to rent a farm. Will take a farm for money rent or on shares. Will stock farm, or rent one stocked. Prefer stocking myself. Inquire at Gazette Office.

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Dutch Cleanser, can	09c	Fancy Asparagus Tips, 25c can	22c
Fancy Shoe Peg Corn, can	08c	Kellogg's Corn Flake, pkg.	09c
Lenox Soap, 7 cakes	25c	Squar Oystere Crackers, lb.	07c
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